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Though cleanliness is high Godly is
And dirt and filth are ill.
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NEWTON.

—Mr. H. P. Spaulding is now at Wianno, Mass.

—Miss Etta Parker is visiting friends in Lynn, Mass.

—Mr. Eben Smith has returned from Fairfield, Me.

—Mr. Arthur W. Downs is vacating at Mattapoisett.

—Mr. Albert Brackett is enjoying his vacation in Hull.

—Mr. E. Snow has returned from Jackson, N. H.

—Mr. F. H. Tucker has returned from Kempton, N. H.

—Mrs. A. A. Leonard is visiting friends in Milford, Mass.

—Mrs. G. W. Crosby has returned from Kennebunkport, Me.

—Miss Ida Adair has returned to her home in Toronto, Canada.

—Mr. Renslow Crosby is spending a few days at Island Creek, Mass.

—Miss Nellie Hart is enjoying her vacation time in Shelburne, N. H.

—Mrs. H. J. Bigelow is spending a season of rest at Marblehead Neck.

—Mrs. W. G. Brackett is one of the recent arrivals at Hotel Wellesley.

—Mr. J. W. Brigham is at the Mount Pleasant house, White Mountains.

—Mr. A. B. Cobb and family are at Hotel Preston as permanent summer guests.

—Mr. Frank Comee was registered last week at the Shirley, Winthrop Beach.

—Mr. F. A. Foster and family are enjoying their vacation at Lanesville, Mass.

—Mr. Edward W. Cate, formerly of this city is enjoying a trip to Halifax, N. S.

—Miss Mary W. Bullens has returned from her visit to Green Acre, Elliot, Me.

—Mr. E. W. Converse, Jr., and wife, are at Jackson Falls House, White Mountains.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brooks are passing a few weeks at the Hesperus, Magnolia.

—Misses Jennie and Florence May are spending a few days at Annisquam, Mass.

—Misses Caroline and Elizabeth Spear have returned from their visit at Sandwich, N. H.

—The Misses Dallas of Toronto were the guests of Miss Ella Park during the past week.

—Mr. Geo. D. Ordway spends a few days of this warm weather in Waterbury Centre, Vt.

—Carrier Farwell is away upon his vacation, enjoying himself at Kennebunk Beach.

—Mrs. E. C. Fitch is spending these warm days at Bullard cottage, York Harbor, Me.

—Mr. Harry Whitmore has been appointed on the city editorial staff of the Boston Herald.

—Mr. F. M. Wainwright and family are spending a delightful season at the Elms, Beach Bluff.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Cole are enjoying their vacation season at Hotel Preston, Beach Bluff.

—Mr. Decker has bought out the interest of his partner, and now a new sign reads, C. S. Decker.

—Mr. E. H. Cutler and family left this week for Winthrop, where they will spend their vacation.

—Mr. J. A. Gilman and family have returned from their sojourn at Menanath, East Falmouth.

—Miss Grace, the popular assistant at the post office, is now taking her annual two weeks vacation.

—Rev. J. A. Hamilton and family are spending the hot season in the cool breezes at Chester, Mass.

—Mrs. G. E. Hatch and Master Rodger Hatch are guests at the Nanepashemet, Marblehead Neck.

—Mr. C. W. Loring and family started Thursday for a vacation season at Manchester-by-the-sea.

—Mrs. F. L. Gross is enjoying the mountain breezes at Merrill's Mountain house, Breezy Point, N. H.

—Mr. H. N. Hyde was in town a few days this week from his summer home in New London, N. H.

—Wards 1 and 7 were well and quite fully represented at the launching of the "Watertown" on Wednesday.

—Mr. John Cutler is spending a few weeks at Winthrop beach, preparatory to a sojourn in the country.

—Mr. and Mrs. George F. Meacham will spend the month of August at Elm Park Hotel, Wellesley Hills.

—Mrs. G. B. Paine of Channing street is spending the month of August at Hotel Naumkeag, Cottage City.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Foster, Mr. L. P. Foster, Mabel Foster and Paul Foster are at Cove Cottage, Cape Ann.

—Mr. J. E. Trowbridge and family have gone to the Florence House, North Scituate, Mass., for a few weeks rest.

—Rev. Dr. E. F. Clark of New York gave two excellent discourses in Eliot church last Sunday morning and evening.

—Officer Harrison has been on the sick list for a few days. His place is temporarily filled by Special Officer Young.

—John E. Crowde, the well known clerk at Hubbard & Proctor's pharmacy is enjoying his vacation in New York City.

—Officer Richard Taffe has rented a house at Trowbridge court, where he will remove with his family from West Newton.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Airth and son are enjoying their vacation in the Pine Tree state. They will visit Calais and Moosehead Lake.

—T. F. Mague is at work on the foundation of Mr. Harry D. Carey's house, Coakley street. It will be built by Higgins & Nickerson.

—The Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4 o'clock on Sunday will be conducted by Mr. Seymour Eaton, who has promised an interesting "Chalk Talk."

—Messrs. H. N. Gay, L. B. Gay, H. S. Potter, N. F. Merrill and H. E. Cobb and wife were registered at the Hesperus, Magnolia, on Monday.

—Rev. Mr. Hornbrooke attended the Weds. grove meetings, preaching there Thursday morning. He will preach in Hingham on Sunday.

—The event of the season at Hotel Preston, Beach Bluff, was the German of Thursday evening of last week, music being furnished by the Salem Cadet Band.

—The highway department commenced work Monday upon a drain which is to take the water from Thornton, Hovey Pearl and Emerson streets to the system below.

—Everyone is gratified for the heavy rainfall of Friday and Saturday of last week, but an examination of the ground shows that the earth is still in need of moisture.

—Mr. C. H. Campbell of Barber Bros., has been spending his two weeks vacation in Eastport, Me. He reports the weather there very comfortable and delightfully cool.

—Mrs. Archie Young, a former resident, now of Somerville, is here visiting friends. She had been enjoying a few weeks' rest at Calais, Me., and came to Newton before returning home.

—Wednesday was the warmest day of the season, the mercury at 1 o'clock p. m. making 94 degrees in the shade. The night following was hot and sultry, 80 degrees being the temperature.

—Last Sunday the electric cars were well patronized and during the day 815 passengers were carried between Newton and West Newton. On some of the trips the cars were crowded.

—Donations for the Pomroy Home during the month of July are as follows: Newton, clothing, beans, beans, Newton Centre, milk, cherries; West Newton, clothing; Auburndale, clothing.

—Mr. Charles F. Rogers, real estate agent, has this week sold the double house corner Gardner and Fayette streets to Miss M. Rydman, Boston, for \$10,000. O. Hunt of Newtonville, 6000 feet of land on Lincoln street.

—At a recent meeting of the Ladies' Club the question came up who is the handsomest man in Newton. A vote was taken, and the decision was declared to be in favor of Mr. Isaac T. Burr, Senior, the great railroad financier.

—We received a pleasant call this week from Mr. John Brimblecom of Newton, who was formerly of this town and at one time associated with Mr. William C. Woodfin in business in Swampscott—Marblehead Messenger.

—Mrs. Augustus Page and the Misses Page of Arlington street, Mr. Thos. C. Phelps and Miss Phelps of the Hunnewell, left here Monday night for a camping trip at Lake Umbagog, Me. They will be gone about two weeks.

—Mrs. William S. Gardner and her daughter, Miss Mary Gardner, will be at the Parker House, Kennebunkport, until about August 5th, when they will go to the Sunset Hill House, near Bethlehem, N. H., remaining through September as is their custom.

—A jolly party from Watertown and Newton, says a correspondent, make things lively evenings at the Iron Mountain House, and we have had a progressive euchre party, a donkey party, and a soap bubble party, to all of which prizes were given, and a candy pull, and evenings at games, etc.

—Five members of the Inglewood Fish and Game Club of New Brunswick, Messrs. Andrew S. March, Henry E. Cobb, John B. Goodrich, Theodore Nickerson and J. Sturges Folger, with their families, numbering twenty-one in all, started Thursday in a special car for a month's sojourn at the Inglewood.

—The Hunnewell avenue extension has been completed. The new road, laid out 40 feet wide, extends from the Sibley estate to Cooke street. It is well built, high, and the work having been thoroughly done by the contractor, T. F. Mague. The streets presents nearly a level surface and opens up several fine house lots in a very pretty and healthful location.

—Rev. Washington Elliot of Greenwich, Conn., will preach in Eliot church on Sunday. The pulpit will be supplied during the month of August by the following ministers: Aug. 10th, Rev. J. L. Jenkins of Pittsfield, Mass.; Aug. 17th, Rev. C. N. Webster, Conn.; Aug. 24th, Rev. J. G. Vose, D. D., of Providence, R. I.; Aug. 31st, Rev. W. S. Hubbell, D. D., of Buffalo, N. Y.

—The Street Railway Company very much regret that on dark days they have been obliged to disappoint their customers by not running the last afternoon trip. The Waltham Gas Co., which furnishes the motive power is obliged to use it to light the streets earlier on a dark day, and therefore it is well built, high, and the work having been thoroughly done by the contractor, T. F. Mague. The streets presents nearly a level surface and opens up several fine house lots in a very pretty and healthful location.

—Rev. Mr. Hornbrooke takes the month of August for his vacation. Sunday services will be held in the church as usual, to be conducted during the pastor's absence by the following: Aug. 10, Rev. C. N. Webster, Staples, St. Cloud, Minn.; Aug. 10, Rev. Dr. A. P. Putnam, Concord, Mass.; Aug. 17, Rev. A. E. Mullett, Charlestown; Aug. 24, Rev. B. H. Bailey, Malden; Aug. 31, Rev. Francis Tiffany, Cambridge, Mass.

—With the advent of electric railway facilities in Newton comes the cry for more and now the people want the West End to extend its Oak Square line to connect with the Newton Street Railway. The West End Company, it is understood, think favorably of the project, especially as the tracks can be run without crossing the railroad. The route suggested would run from Brighton Hill through St. James and Nonantum streets to the junction of Washington and Centre streets.

—While Thomas Welch, residing in Nonantum, was painting an electric street railway pole on Washington, near Adams street, about 9.30 o'clock yesterday morning, he received a shock from the trolley wire and fell from the ladder on which he stood to the ground, a distance of 15 feet. One hip was broken by the fall, and the man was otherwise seriously injured. He was taken to the Cottage Hospital in a patrol wagon. His condition is considered critical, and fears of internal injuries are entertained.

—The Newton Street Railway Co. are running an electric motor car between West Newton and Newton on the following time: Leave West Newton at 6.10 a. m., 7.00 and every hour until 4.00 p. m. Returning leave Newton at 6.30 a. m. and every hour until 4.30 p. m. On Sundays the first car will leave West Newton at 7.00 a. m. and every hour until 4.00 p. m. Returning leave Newton at 7.30 a. m. and every hour until 4.30 p. m. This arrangement is but temporary, as the company intends to put on more cars and run on half hour, as soon as it can secure power sufficient to do so.

—The finding of the body of Mrs. Harriet B. Hyde in Farm Pond, South Framingham, last Sunday morning, with the knowledge that she had taken her own life, led to a great deal of comment concerning her family relations. Mrs. Hyde, at the time of her death was an inmate of the Ashland poor house, and not knowing the circumstances some people have criticised her son Frank, who resides in Newton, but there is abundant evidence to show that he has always willingly done everything he could to assist her and make her comfortable. So soon as he learned of the sad event he hastened to Farm Pond, and made all necessary arrangements for the funeral and paid the expenses.

—Talking about sites for the new City Hall building, the GRAPHIC would suggest a spot which, certainly, would commend itself to the residents of the east end of the city. It would depend somewhat upon the generosity of some of the wealthy residents, who might be induced to see the advantage of purchasing the Chaffin estates, and that of J. W. Davis, extending from Vernon street to the Eliot church property. The buildings could be removed and the land deeded to the city. No more central spot could be secured. The grounds could be elegantly laid out and the situation of the building would be one of unusual beauty, with the handsome church property and Farlow Park skirting the city's land on either side.

—Waltham's rate of taxation this year will be \$14. Twenty cents less than last year.

VERY SEVERE STORM.

SIX BUILDINGS STRUCK IN THIS CITY.

Newton was visited Thursday evening, by the most severe electrical storm for many years. The vivid and almost incessant flashes of lightning and the rolling, and crashing thunder made many tremble at what might be the consequences, should the lightning bolt strike near. For about a half hour the rain fell in torrents. About 6.30 an alarm was rung in from box 18, which proved to be Mr. C. H. Warren's barn on Newtonville avenue. A second alarm quickly followed. The barn was nearly consumed, with contents consisting of hay and articles of furniture stored there. The damage is estimated at \$1000 insured for \$500. Before this fire was out another alarm was rung from box 52, for fire in the house of Wm. B. Locke, on Beacon street near the almshouse. Damage slight. Both buildings were struck by lightning. At West Newton the houses of Mrs. Foley and Mrs. Welch were struck; also C. T. Cutting's house on Webster street. The damage was slight however in each case. A bolt entered the house of Mrs. Kimball on Melrose street and shattered the ceilings and plastering in several rooms. The Methodist church at the Centre was struck and some of the shingles and copper sheathing was torn off.

On the north side of the city the rain was accompanied by a high wind which played great havoc with the trees, blowing off innumerable branches. A number of trees were split open by lightning, numerous telephone and telegraph wires were blown down, and the telephone service practically rendered useless. Over 130 telephone protectors attached to the cable in the telephone office at Newton and West Newton were burned out. No fatalities have been reported.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—A. C. Wiswall's paper mills are shut down for two weeks.

—Mr. C. C. Worthington of Chicago is here on a visit. Mrs. Worthington is a resident here.

—Officer Seaver has been off duty this week on account of malaria. Daniel Corcoran doing night duty.

—The Lyon family will occupy a cottage at Nahant this month, having departed from here Wednesday last.

—Ten additional carpenters were added this week to the regular number at work on the new Rice's Crossing station and the prospects of a completed depot in the fall are good.

—The Newton & Watertown Gas Co. have about 30 men at work laying pipe from Washington through Beacon to Chestnut street. It is stated the Neholden road through Waban will also have a gas main running through it in a short time.

—Many complaints are heard in regard to the condition of the street about the City Hall, which is caused by carelessness, as loose papers and other waste debris lying about is no doubt annoying and this condition of things might easily be prevented.

—A serious accident happened to one of the employees of the N. & W. Gas Co. last Monday. While at work in a ditch on Beacon street where gas pipes are being laid the earth caved, almost completely burying the man. As the soil was composed mostly of rock the man's legs were smashed to such an extent as to render them useless for a time, and he was conveyed to the Cottage Hospital for treatment.

—It is rumored that the mills till recently known as the Rice Paper Co. Mills will be in operation next spring and probably before. The manufacture of carpet lining it is stated, will be the next industry, and if present news is reliable it will mean welcome to many here as this industry employment will be furnished to a number of hands. The mill needs a thorough overhauling, which work will probably be begun shortly.

NONANTUM.

—When, oh, when, will California street be cleared up?

—Wm. W. Waters has severed his connection with the Nonantum Worsted Mills.

—Lorenzo Pulliston and Ralph Renton made a flying visit to this village last Sunday.

—Mrs. Bean and her daughter of Charlestown are visiting Mrs. J. E. Butler of California street.

—James O'Hara will leave for Ireland Saturday morning on the S. S. Pannonia of the Cunard line.

—A large delegation from this village attended the launching of J. Cassidy's new boat at Watertown, Wednesday.

—The Sons of St. George of this village are actively engaged in selling tickets for the English picnic, which is to be held at Downer's Landing next Tuesday.

—Mr. Thomas Kybert is erecting a very neat and commodious residence for himself and family on Faxon street. He expects it will be completed about Sept. 1st.

—Mrs. S. W. Fletcher of California street died at her residence last Saturday and was buried at Bedford, Mass., on Monday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. W. A. Lamb.

—Martin Greeley while attempting to board a moving train at Bemis station was dragged along nearly two hundred feet and thrown around considerably. He escaped, however, with a good shaking up and a lame foot which is getting better slowly.

—Officer C. O. Davis arrested John Farrell and Dennis Mahony at their home, near Silver Lake, Tuesday morning, on suspicion of having robbed John Doyle at the Bleachery. Waltham. They were turned over to the Waltham officers and identified as the parties who were with him at the alleged time. The men say they know nothing whatever about the affair, although they admit being at the Bleachery at the time it occurred.

—A young fellow in this village received the sum of \$85 last Monday and concluded to celebrate a little. While drinking at a certain place he showed two other fellows, to whom he flattered his hospitality. They went over to the Bleachery, and near there this fellow fell asleep. The others thought they could take better care of his money, so took it and his watch and then left him. When he awoke and found the state of affairs the police were notified, but no trace of the parties or property has been found. So the young carpenter is a much poorer if not a wiser man than before this incident.

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Persons looking for a safe and profitable investment should call upon Mr. E. P. Hatch, West Newton, and learn about those debenture bond of the Middlesex Banking Co. of Conn. It is close at home and worth your attention.

WATERTOWN'S NEW INDUSTRY.

THOUSANDS WITNESSED THE LAUNCH OF THE STEAMER WATERTOWN.

Wednesday was a gala day in the historic town of Watertown, for then a new era was inaugurated in her history. For many months attention has been drawn toward the work upon a vessel, built up on the estate of Mr. J. E. Cassidy, nearly opposite the Fanelli station of the B. & A. railroad, and patrons of this line have noted the growth of the structure with added interest. The time came for launching and over 1000 invitations were sent out, while other thousands came out of curiosity to see so rare an event in this quiet town.

Mr. Cassidy's estate has over a mile of frontage on the Charles river, and he thought himself to build a vessel of novel construction, which should do business upon the great waters. A sawmill was erected close by where the work was to be done. The logs were cut on the Adams and Goldwaite estates of Watertown and some came from Waltham. The sawing of timber commenced Dec. 30, 1889, and the work has steadily gone on from that time to the completion of the fine steamer "Watertown."

The vessel is of peculiar design, 135 feet in length over all, beam 29 feet 8 inches, depth of hold, 11 feet 2 inches, of about 400 tons burden and will draw eight feet when loaded. She was designed by Mr. A. B. Boyles of East Boston, is an angle sided vessel with three keels, the centre one 90 feet long and the others 45 feet in length. She is built as a light draught vessel to prevent listing if aground. Her frame and inside timbers are of pasture oak and her outside planking of southern pine. She is equipped with two 250 horse power boilers and two 200 horse power engines, and has a pair of screw propellers. She is full schooner rigged and has two masts. A large cabin and twelve state rooms will furnish accommodations for those on board. The crew will consist of ten men.

Early on Wednesday groups of people and carriages could be seen wending their way toward the place of launching, which, by the way, is only 300 feet from the place where Watertown's first settlers landed, and before 10 o'clock several thousands of people were gathered in the vicinity, while many people were scattered upon the opposite banks of the river and the hillsides.

After considerable pondering and the use of jack screws, at 10.15 came the cry, "she moves," and the steamer "Watertown" gracefully glided into the water, while cheer upon cheer filled the air, and the music of Carter's band of Boston added its tones of joy in honor of the rare event.

The town officials of Watertown and Belmont and city officials from Waltham and Newton were present by invitation. A congratulatory address was given by chairman Ingraham of Watertown's selectmen and Mr. Richardson of the same board, presented Mr. Cassidy in behalf of the citizens of the town with a set of colors for the new boat. Acting Mayor Pettie responded for Newton. The Newton city government were represented by acting Mayor George Pettie and Aldermen Coffin and Harbach, President of the Common Council, Elliot J. Hyde, Councilmen Forknall, Esterbrook, Collins, Churchill, Porter, Hall and Bates, Police Inspector James D. Hawthorne, City Marshal C. F. Richardson, City Clerk Isaac F. Kingsbury, Auditor B. F. Otis, Treasurer J. A. Kenrick, Overseers of the Poor Mosman and Russell, City Engineer A. F. Noyes, Supt. Hyde of the water works, W. S. French, agent of board of health, E. T. Wiswall of the water board.

The speaking being over the crowd adjourned to the large saw mill near by, where a most excellent collation was served by Caterer Farrie of Boston. Mr. Cassidy, Messrs. Boyles, Hawks and Capt. Kelly were all made the recipients of congratulations on the completion, and success of the launching of the new boat. The new steamer will go into service in about a week, as a collier, between Watertown and Philadelphia.

The Senatorship.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC.
All sensible people must endorse your editorial on the Senatorship in your last issue; and in looking about for a candidate upon whom all parts of the city could unite, none can be found more deserving or available than the colleague of the writer in the

A Tribute.

OAK HILL HOUSE,
LITTLETON, N. H., July 24, 1890.
To the Editor of the Graphic:

The Boston morning papers bring the sad intelligence of the death of my dear friend, Miss Palmer, of the Newton Cottage Hospital. Although previously prepared for this, it seemed no less a loss; and I would urgently request brief space in your columns for a few words of as fitting tribute as I may render at this time. It must not be that a woman of so rare personal qualities, of so consecrated a life shall be taken from us, be lifted up into her rest and reward, while still so young in her work (and devoted to it as well) that it may easily be she had not gained an estimation in our community of extent and measure due to character and service such as hers; it must not be that no more than usual public notice be taken of the loss; that no unusual words of honor and respect be spoken of her whom we shall see no more.

I have said my dear friend, in allusion to Miss Palmer; and employ, as I repeat, the phrase after full consideration. And yet, I have no reason to believe—but rather otherwise—that she ever entertained so strong a personal feeling towards myself. Still further, it is proper to add that few physicians, serving the Hospital, could well have seen so little of the matron as had the writer, could have met her so infrequently; for my relation to the institution was that of consultant in a specialty.

But I think all without dissent who were privileged to know her, will endorse the statement that Miss Palmer was one of those exceptional women who did not need to be seen so many times, or known for so considerable a period; and this, particularly, if the one holding the relation were in position to invite mutual freedom, one to whom she might, without restraint, show her ingenuous spirit; before would be entertained a feeling of esteem, of confidence and respect towards her such as few inspire even in time and circumstances more favorable for acquaintance.

How vividly is the experience now presented to the mind, of strong impression at the time, when the matron—otherwise sure to be at her post of duty—happened to have been called away for a few hours at just the time of visit to the hospital. For then failed the one who, greeting at the door, or if not at the outer door, almost at once on my entering the reception-room. A disappointment, a sense of temporary loss, I am sure always came to me; objectively, the medical visit might accomplish its purpose; but it seemed, often, as if its expected pleasure, its stimulus and reward had failed me altogether.

But a word more, in this desultory memorial; (for with so little time for preparation and with the limited space I ask for, I should fear to do injustice to my subject if treated otherwise than by expression of what is most in my eyes, and uppermost in memory at this time): A part of the greeting with which she so well knew how to

"Welcome the coming,
Speed the parting guest."

Was that smile of hers, which never failed to illumine the whole face and sometimes seemed like an outburst of the inner spirit. There are a few faces which we remember after they have passed from our sight, without aid of the productions of camera or pencil and brush. It must be, as I think, that Miss Palmer had such a face; and it must be, with many who knew her, that we have every recollection of her, that face will appear wreathed with her beautiful smile. I think any one, while she was still with us, upon whom it might be cast, who for himself otherwise, at other times might have had least of all the wish or power to display his expressions, even though in slight degree, must still have given some look of response, though by a pale, reflected light, under the warm, cheering glow, which irradiated all her face.

And this characteristic of hers must have been a part of a natural endowment; an essential part both of facial expression and manifestation of spirit. The smile which seems to be constant, or, at least, constantly recurring, has too often its large element of weakness; we are too apt to tire of it, are sometimes glad to escape from it. But hers was, preeminently, a strong smile, as genuine as it was ingenious; it seemed to ask for the confidence it gave; of which, in face and full surrender, it was sign and seal; it seemed to give evidence of her acceptance from another, without question or challenge, of faith in a goodness which itself bespoke.

But how else could her smile have been strong and true, like what bestows a blessing on the one "who gives and him who takes," when, if it was friendship and trust that a weakened it, yet, for many years at least, it had been chiefly the interests, details, demands of service, responsibility, devotion to duty, which gave it force, expansion and continuance.

H. M. F.

BODY IDENTIFIED.

MR. CHARLES SCHUMAKER THE VICTIM
OF THE RIVERSIDE DROWNING
ACCIDENT.

The body of the man who was drowned in the Charles river about a mile above Riverside, Wednesday evening, July 23, has been identified. The deceased proved to be Mr. Charles S. Schumaker, a well-known Boston artist who resided with his family at 113 Highland street in the Roxbury district. It seems that Mr. Schumaker left his store about 5 o'clock in the afternoon and went to Riverside taking a row down the river as has been already told in the GRAPHIC. His family was not alarmed at his not returning Wednesday evening, for he frequently went to New York and other places without telling them of his intention to do so, and it was thought he had taken some such trip on this occasion. The fact that he had an engagement in Rochester, N. Y., last Friday, also tended to allay their fears, they thinking he might have gone earlier than he had intended to keep this appointment. Their suspicions became aroused at length, however, by the story of the drowning at Auburndale, and the fact that he was missing was reported to police headquarters in Boston. Mr. Schumaker's son visited Cate's undertaking rooms Friday noon and identified the body as that of his father.

Mr. Schumaker was born in Germany 55 years ago. He learned his trade of a fresco painter in his native town, but

went to New York when 18 years old, and lived in that city several years. He then went to New Orleans, but returned to New York in a short time. His next move was to Portland, Me., where he established himself in business, remaining there until 1880, when he came to Boston. His first office in that city was on West street, but in 1883 he removed to No. 7 Boylston street, where he has since remained.

Mr. Schumaker, during his business career, decorated many large churches and halls in all parts of the country, especially in New England and the mid-states. Among them may be mentioned the Catholic Cathedral in Portland, Boston and Springfield. He was recognized as a fine artist and a thorough master of his trade. He was a member of St. Albans lodge, F. A. M., of Portland, of Ancient Landmark lodge, I. O. O. F., of the same city, of the Royal Arcanum of Portland, and at one time he belonged to the Mechanics' Exchange of Boston. A family, consisting of a widow, four daughters and two sons, survives him. The funeral took place from the Schumaker residence last Sunday afternoon, Rev. E. L. Rexford of the Roxbury Universalist Church conducting the services.

Periodicals for the Indians.

The movement to establish reading rooms in the western Indian schools where the opportunities of the children for any acquaintance with the reading and the illustrated periodicals that delight the more favored white children have been few or none, has constantly grown. Thought of as a general endeavor and begun only the latter half of April, already several schools have the required number to start a reading room and many of them have periodicals enough promised or on the way to show that only a little more patience will be necessary to furnish these also. And at the same time not a few of the returned Indian students have been gladdened by the weekly or monthly presence of some periodicals mailed by a well wisher. The following letter received from a Superintendent whose reading room has been supplied shows the spirit in which earnest workers accept this help. There has been the most emphatic endorsement of its usefulness in the education of the Indians sent by many of the Superintendents of these Indian schools. And every consideration should urge us to go on with this work. The writer a Superintendent in one of the government schools, in Dakota, says:

"More than a week ago I received your postal telling me the good news that our school was to have twelve periodicals. Also came today a copy of 'The Young Idea'. I am much pleased with the paper. I have kept the pupils informed in reference to the matter and this evening at our evening at exercises we took a vote on sending thanks to both—'The Young Idea' and 'The Young Idea'. I am in a position to convey to you the hearty and unanimous thanks of our school for the kindly interest you take in us. I taught the children the name of Miss—this evening. They had never heard the name 'Charlotte' before. I am in great hopes for the good that will come of this venture. I have arranged for two large cases, one for the girls and one for the boys in which to keep the reading matter, and we propose to build on this foundation a library. We shall gather specimens of natural history and place in the lower part of our building. Some of the pupils are at work mounting plants and you would be pleased to see their work."

I do some work in that line myself, but my time is so wholly taken up in actual duties that I get on slowly. I very much hope to make a trip the coming vacation to the 'Bad' Lands' and secure a great many valuable specimens. We don't want Indian relics in our collection. School closes in two weeks. Several have asked permission to remain during vacation. The agent said this evening that it was remarkable—severe pressure had to be used heretofore; I came last August.

I shall take pleasure in keeping you informed of our work. I have the girls encouraged to do crocheting, &c. Some have done very nice work. I told them this evening that I wanted them to make some rugs. Many such little things the Indian girls can do and we can use them. Great trouble is to get the material to work with and employees that can and will teach them.

This is a great work—worthy the ambition of any serious man or woman. I am fully convinced that the Indian girls can do as well as their white sisters and brothers. They require the chance.

We observed Decoration Day in an appropriate manner. Our entertainment in the evening was a decided success. We have a flag floating proudly from our building. The children can sing 'Three Cheers to the Red, White and Blue' with a patriotic ring."

The response to the call for periodicals has been generous, and the magazines and papers offered of excellent quality. For the schools there is need, however, of more juveniles. Indian children are also like white ones, with fondness for illustrations, and, if possible, they appreciate these even more. The universal testimony is that these are of the greatest value in teaching them the language. The statement of one Superintendent alone should be enough to show these Indian schools as a preparation to more effective work still for these children. She writes: "Illustrated stories will suit these children; for here they have no opportunities of seeing the results of civilization as we employ them to instill into them; only through pictures of the same."

As the work grows, the correspondence grows and other things connected with it come up to be done in order to carry out the measure in the best way. There is constant need of an amanuensis. But since this work is wholly voluntary, there is an opportunity only for volunteers, and through these very much may be done. Are there not in the Newtons, or near here, young ladies who would gladly give a little time to this work? If twenty would be willing to give one whole afternoon a month to whatever might be required, probably almost entirely, if not wholly, writing, it would be of the greatest service. Will all those who are willing to do this write, giving the days when they can best come? And also will those who are ready to contribute either periodicals or subscriptions (publishers' special rates for this work to be learned on application) send name and address to me.

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It's extraordinary, writes Joe Howard, what effect a proprietor's prosperity produces upon the clerks of a hotel. The lordly indifference with which they greet unknown guests, the calmness with which they listen to complaints concerning rooms, the utter inattention paid to requests concerning luggage are most suggestive. It seems to me if I were a tourist from abroad I would devote two or three chapters to the hotel clerks of America. You rarely find a hotel clerk who is not an extremist. He is a total abstinent or a very hard drinker. He is either geniality personified or curt and brusque and rude. A hotel-clerk who smiles and welcomes a dust-laden, baggage-forgotten, unprovided-with-room arrival, greeting him courteously, and acting as though he was really glad to have him in the hotel, is a treasure, while a bumptious, surly-faced, suspicious eyed, inconsiderate, suspicious kind of a fellow is an infernal nuisance, and does more to keep people out of the hotel than its most extreme attraction does to keep people in the hotel. It's no excuse to say that hotel clerks are bothered and badgered and embarrassed. That's what they are there for, and if they can't stand the pressure they ought to step down and get out.

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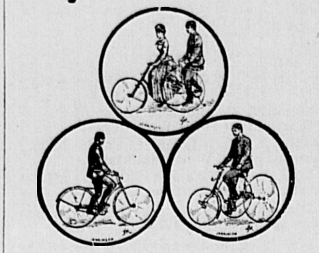
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Why we do not Export more to South America and the West Indies?

The recent letter of Secretary Blaine to Senator Frye suggests the above interesting inquiry. The reason given by Secretary Blaine in his letter is not the main nor the fundamental one. Even if in 1872, in return for the free admission of coffee in our markets, we had exacted from Brazil the free admission of certain products of the United States in the Brazilian market, our exports to Brazil would have remained far smaller than they ought to be. To have enacted the opening of the Brazilian markets to us might, and probably would, have increased our exports to Brazil to a slight extent, but it would not have removed the chief obstacle to our export trade there.

The avowed purpose of the protective policy is to raise the prices of our products. If a protective tax of 20 per cent. is put on an article produced here, its purpose is to enable the producer to charge 20 per cent. more for the product than he could otherwise charge for it. It arbitrarily and undesirably raises the price of the article produced.

This increase in price of our products, owing to our system of enormous protection, particularly on raw materials, is the cause which restricts our export trade, especially with the countries we are considering. They buy where they can buy cheapest. The import duties in these countries do not discriminate against the United States as compared with the great trading nations of Europe. Goods imported from England to Brazil and other countries of South America pay the same duty there, as the goods imported from the United States.

If the Brazilians and other inhabitants of South America could buy the goods they want as cheaply from us as they can elsewhere, they would buy them of us in exchange for more of our goods. The fact that they cannot buy as cheaply of us elsewhere is the reason they buy elsewhere and our excessive tariff is at the bottom of our higher prices.

Suppose a farmer has potatoes to sell and flour to buy. Suppose, too, there are two places equally distant, and with equally good roads, where he can sell his potatoes and buy his flour. In one place he can get \$1 per bushel for his potatoes, but in one place he can buy flour of the same quality \$1 per barrel cheaper than in the other. It is needless to ask with which place he will trade. This, with the exception of distance, is precisely the case with respect to the United States and the West Indies with respect to the markets of Europe and the United States. A very large part of our imports of the products of these countries, to our shame be it said, comes through the markets of Europe. They can get as much or nearly as much in the markets of Europe for what they have to sell, while they can buy what they want much cheaper. Is it strange they trade there? We are nearer and we ought to have their trade, but while our present general tariff system lasts we cannot have it.

While Mr. Blaine's surprising change of position and his opposition to the McKinley bill are most gratifying to tariff reformers, let us not be deceived by his false reasoning as to the cause of our low exports. The true reason is plain and should be clearly understood. It is our general enormous system of protection.

The influence of this system in the past, too, has been worse than it is in the present. The trade of South America was turned into other channels by our system of protection before we admitted their products, to any extent, free of duty. Our excessive protection lost us their markets in the beginning and still keeps us from regaining them.

A Farmer's Figures.

The Des Moines (Ia.) Leader says just at this time, when the farmer is receiving so much consideration at the hands of the Republican party in Congress, when the members, overburdened with love to the farmer, prepare to increase the duty on the 1946 bushels of wheat imported into this country each year for seed purposes, and thereby placates him for the increase in tax on the clothing he wears and the agricultural implements he uses; when the 2888 bushels of corn yearly imported is to be compelled to pay a higher rate; when the sixteen bushels of rye that come to us each year from foreign pauper shores is to be hereafter compelled to pay an increased tax for the protection of the American farmer, who last year exported 90,000,000 bushels of wheat, 60,000,000 bushels of corn, and other agricultural products in proportion, it is interesting to receive from a farmer a statement of the amount of this indirect tax the protection to farm products must place in his pocket each year to offset the burden imposed upon him even by the present tariff rate.

The Leader's farmer friend has figured up how much tariff taxes cost him in a year. The following is his account:

Amount tariff on value	Amount
750 pounds sugar,	\$18.75
10 gallons molasses,	40
22 pounds woolen goods,	9.00
Dry goods (cost \$80),	35.72
10 pounds chocolate, etc.,	20
5 pounds mustard,	50
42 pounds rice,	95
8000 feet lumber,	10.00
Machinery (cost \$57),	22.80
Salt, 460 pounds,	31
1 barrel lime,	50
2 boxes soap,	1.20
Medicine (cost \$10),	2.50
Binding twine (cost \$8),	3.20
Saddlery, etc., (cost \$68),	20.52
Boots and shoes (cost \$28.50),	8.55

Total tariff on purchases, \$142.02
In other words, the goods purchased by one farmer in one year cost him \$142.02 more on account of the tariff than they otherwise would have done. But this farmer makes the case still more striking by comparing his direct with his indirect tax, thus:

Tariff tax (indirect),	\$142.02
City, county and state (direct),	76.82
Difference,	\$65.20

"The woolen goods industry," says the Boston Commercial Bulletin, "was probably never in much worse condition in this country. The slowness of its development may be judged from the fact, that, despite an average yearly increase

of over a million in population, the increase in the number of wool cards in this country is less than a hundred a year, while the proportion of woolen machinery shut down between June 1 and September 1 bids fair to be the largest ever known." There is no industry in the country for the protection of which tariff taxes have been levied with freer hand, and there has never been in power an administration so favorable to the continuation or increase of these extreme rates as the present one. And the best that can be said of the industry is that it never was in a worse condition. Surely there is no human being alive today over whose eyes the wool has been pulled so thickly that he cannot see the force of this practical demonstration of the useless and destructive nature of the wool tariff.—Springfield Republican.

What the "Supreme Duty" Really Is.

(From Harper's Weekly.)
"The supreme duty of the hour," then, is not to enforce a certain power, but to consider whether, under all the circumstances, this bill is the best way of righting a wrong. On the contrary, reasoning from human nature, from experience, and from the testimony of southern republican representatives who are very much more familiar with the situation than Mr. McKinley, the bill will at once fail of its purpose, and produce consequences which every honest and humane citizen must deplore. It is not an argument for the passage of such a bill that in some congressional districts the colored vote is terrorized, and that Congress may change the time, place and manner of holding the election, unless it be shown that the most intimate convictions, the strongest feeling and the broken traditions of a community may be wisely defied to attain a good object which cannot be reasonably supposed to be attainable by such action. The whole plea for the passage of the bill was that colored voters were prevented from voting, that it was a gross wrong, and that the constitution permitted Congress to supersede state control of the election. But it cannot be the supreme duty of any hour for a nation to do wrong, and to seek an end which is desirable by means which necessarily threaten to make the situation worse, is in itself an enormous wrong.

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The Memphis Avalanche, having said that "girl" is found in the Bible only twice—Joel iii, 3, and Zachariah viii, 5, the New York Sun thus revivifies its contemporary right: There is a mistake here. The Hebrew has three words for girl corresponding to three ages of childhood, maturity and womanhood. The Avalanche probably refers to the first, and this occurs in Genesis xxiv, 4, and Joel iv, 3, in the singular, and in Zachariah viii, 5, in the plural. The other two words occur more frequently.

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Sophocles' "Antigone" Produced.

On Tuesday a very successful performance of the "Antigone" of Sophocles was given at Bradford College, near Reading. For the first time since the overthrow of the ancient world a Greek play was produced under much the same physical conditions as prevailed at Athens. An accurate copy of an ancient theatre had been constructed out of a disused chalk pit, the spectators sitting on broad, low steps, which rose tier above tier of semicircle from the level of the orchestra.

The blue sky of a perfect June day overhead, the scent of the incense burning on the altar round which the senators chant in rhythmic cadence the strophes and antistrophes of the chorus, and the stately pageant of the stage beyond, combined to produce an impression which few of their audience are likely to forget. The effect of the voices in the open air was excellent, the boys having been trained to make every word heard, and the occasional half interruptions from a bird singing in the leafy borders of the rural playhouse only increasing the charm of the whole performance. The acting throughout was remarkably good and very modern—the players wisely refraining from any attempt to copy the mannerisms of Mr. Irving and Miss Terry. The dresses and the stage arrangements generally left nothing to be desired.—London Spectator.

"Young and Gentle and Kind."

Yesterday was a memorable one to veteran driver Isaac Cochran. He personally conducted the sale of a lot of stock at his stable yards in the east ward, and extolled the qualities of every animal offered until the presence of a red bull was announced. This animal Isaac proceeded to affectionately touch up with his stick and umbrella. "Alive! Look at him—young and gentle, kind and true!" The stick flew one way and the bull another at this point. He was afraid Isaac. The latter threw his umbrella and finally his hat at the bull, all to no purpose. The animal was gunning for Mr. Cochran; it was he who had picked him too hard with the umbrella.

Mr. Cochran cleared a five rail fence at one bound, and then the animal began adorning the sale, which he did in short order. Some climbed the posts, others sought safety on the roofs of adjacent sheds, while more crawled through the knot holes. The bull finding he was lord of the manor, turned his attention to Mr. Cochran's hat, which he tore into shreds. Above the din and noise of the trouble, however, could be heard Mr. Cochran's voice calling: "Alive! Look at him—young and gentle and kind."—West Chester Local News.

The Speed of Naval Ships.

The speed of English naval vessels is generally determined by a run over a measured mile. This is as if a sprint runner were allowed to take a flying start, and as if the speed he attained by spurring 100 yards on a good track were assumed to be the speed he could make in chasing a pickpocket in the street. It is notorious that these vessels rarely if ever attain in actual service the speed with which they are credited. It will therefore be understood how much more accurate was the test imposed upon the new cruiser Philadelphia when she was made to run forty miles and back along the coast of Long Island. The record she made was of course materially aided by the work of the most skillful engineers and stokers employed by the Cramps, and by the use of picked coal, but there seems to be little reason for doubting her ability to run twenty knots an hour in actual service.—Illustrated American.

Death of an Aged Printer.

It is with no ordinary feeling of sorrow that The Alta offers tribute to the memory of one of its oldest and most faithful employees, Charles G. Hughes, who had been connected with this paper for nearly forty years. He came to The Alta a young man almost in the first flush of youth, and he grew old and gray in its service. At the time of his death he was foreman of The Alta's press room, a position which he had filled uninterruptedly since 1857; but for several years prior to that time he had rendered faithful service in the same department of this paper. He was a man whose sterling worth commanded the respect and won the affection of all who knew him.—San Francisco Alta.

Electricity Superseding the Cable. A change, which is strongly suggestive as indicating the tendency which is now being markedly shown in regard to the street railway traction of the future, has been made on a street railway line in Omaha, where the cable has been superseded by electric cars. The company has tried both modes of propulsion, and finds electric motors are cheaper to work and in almost every way preferable to the cable.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Prominent as an Astronomer.

Dr. Christian Henry Frederick Peters, professor of astronomy in Hamilton college, Utica, who died the other day at Clinton, N. Y., was a man of great scientific attainments, and was chiefly noted for the number of comets and asteroids he discovered. He was 77 years old.

Dr. Charles W. Dullas, a prominent physician of Philadelphia, in a recent paper on the subject of consumption, points out that while in England half a century ago there were 55,000 deaths annually among 15,000,000 people there are at present, in a population of 40,000,000, but 14,000 deaths due to phthisis.

A farmer in Warwick, R. I., finding that words wouldn't induce a gang of tramps to leave his yard, overturned a hive of bees. His visitors then departed in a hurry, some of them taking with them very unpleasant reminders of the call.

Mrs. Adare, of Rathfriland, Ireland, has refused an offer of \$350,000 for her cattle ranch somewhere in the west. She holds it at \$2,000,000.



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The breath of a chronic catarrh patient is often so offensive that he becomes an object of disgust. After a time ulceration sets in, the spongy bones are attacked and frequently entirely destroyed. A constant source of discomfort is the dripping of the pusulent secretions into the throat, sometimes producing inveterate bronchitis, which in its turn has been the exciting cause of pulmonary disease. The brilliant results which have attended its use for years past properly designate Ely's Cream Balm as by far the best and only cure.

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That distention of the stomach which many people feel after eating, may be due to improper mastication of the food; but, in most cases, it indicates a weakness of the digestive organs, the best remedy for which is one of Ayer's Pills, to be taken after dinner.

The Lake Superior Transit Co.'s steamers between Buffalo, Detroit, and Sault Ste. Marie, with connection for Duluth, St. Paul, and Minneapolis, affords a delightful vacation trip. For special one way and excursion rates apply to J. A. Flinders, agent, 222 Washington St., Boston.

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The peculiar enervating effect of summer weather is driven off by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which "makes the weak strong."

Story of a Famous Message.

(From the Philadelphia Ledger.)
Concerning General Dix's famous dispatch, "If any man attempts to haul down the American flag, shoot him on the spot!" General Sickles said to a reporter a day or two ago: "On receipt of the news from New Orleans that an attempt had been made to seize a revenue cutter, General Dix, in a momentary fit of anger, sent out that dispatch, with the true ring of patriotism and fight in it. But he no sooner saw it in black and white than he began to hesitate and doubt. He first consulted the Attorney General, and the result of their deliberation was approved by the latter, but a final resolve was had on Dix's part to submit the message to the President before sending it. On the way to the White House I met the two officers and General Dix showed me the dispatch as he had written it, and stating the circumstances added the Attorney General approved of it. I was sent to the President. The Attorney General's approval is sufficient." Still General Dix hesitated, when I said to him: 'General, if you send that dispatch the President will approve of it as highly proper and in the right key. If you show it to him it will never be sent.' It was sent, Buchanan said approve of it, and the North was wild over it for weeks. General Dix narrowly escaped imperishable fame on that occasion."

What professes to be "the inside story" of the Cape May scandal, in which it affects President Harrison and his family, is told by the Washington Star. It seems that when Mr. Wanamaker and a friend from Philadelphia called at the White House to make the presentation the president was summoned from his lunch, and at once put through the ordeal. He accepted with thanks, but with the qualification that the terms should be determined later. He investigated the value of the investment and paid \$10,000 for the property. His friends say that this was done, not as the result of public criticism, but in accordance with his long established custom of refusing valuable presents. The Philadelphia parties interested would have done a graceful thing by reciting these facts at an earlier moment.—Springfield Republican.

C. A. Hack, a Taunton (Mass.) printer, who is still in the service at 84, made a visit to the summit of Mt. Washington last week. He was able to trace without the aid of glasses a pedestrian trip he made up the slope 30 years ago, and he set up a "click" in the office of "Among the Clouds" without putting on his "specs."

Rheumatism.

BEING due to the presence of uric acid in the blood, is most effectively cured by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Be sure you get Ayer's and no other, and take it till the poisonous acid is thoroughly expelled from the system. We challenge attention to this testimony:—

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"One year ago I was taken ill with inflammatory rheumatism, being confined to my house six months. I came out of the sickness very much debilitated, with no appetite, and my system disordered in every way. I commenced using Ayer's Sarsaparilla and began to improve at once, gaining in strength and soon recovering my usual health. I cannot say too much in praise of this well-known medicine."—Mrs. L. A. Stark, Nashua, N. H.

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—Miss Julia S. Doane is summering at Chester, N. H.

—Mrs. Elbridge S. Strout returned this from Lake Sunapee.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Johnson have returned from Saratoga.

—Miss Mabel Wilbur is summering at Pigeon Cove, Gloucester.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wolfe are receiving congratulations. It is a boy.

—Miss Blanche Pierce has returned from her visit at Haverhill, Mass.

—Mrs. A. Williams sells Champagne mist, the new delicious drink.

—J. L. Atwood, and family are spending their vacation at Union, N. H.

—Stuart and Arthur Bosson have returned from a visit to Melrose.

—Mr. L. C. Carter and family left here this week for East Boothbay, Me.

—Mr. J. W. Knowles and family are among the vacationists at Provincetown.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Twitchell are receiving congratulations. It is a daughter.

—S. C. Gullow, the pleasant clerk at A. A. Savage's store is away on his vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Price, Cabot street, have returned from a visit to New York.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Slocom have returned from the Harbor View House, East Gloucester.

—Rev. D. H. Taylor was registered this week at the Harbor View House, East Gloucester.

—Mr. and Mrs. John T. Hill and Mrs. Charles Murphy returned this week from Crescent Beach.

—Mrs. G. F. Kimball and Mr. Chas. S. Pulsifer and family have returned from East Gloucester.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Cook and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fairer have gone to Cottage City for a few days.

—Mrs. Fayette Shaw and Mr. F. D. Shaw left this week for Wisconsin, where they will reside for the present.

—Some of the Newtonville people went to Watertown Wednesday morning and saw the new steamer launched.

—Mr. H. Moseley and family removed this week from Newtonville to their new house at Newton Highlands.

—Rev. C. E. Nash and family arrived here Wednesday, and are stopping for the present at Mr. John Cotton's.

—William T. Hill has rented Mrs. Sturges' cottage, corner of Otis and Murray streets, and took possession this week.

—Supt. Emerson has been very busy this summer compiling records and performing a large amount of necessary work.

—Miss Maria E. Bachelder, Postmaster Turner's efficient assistant, has returned from her vacation at Lake Sunapee.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Brigham passed a few days very pleasantly at Narragansett Bay, with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hartshorne.

—The travelling photographer has been "doing up" the town. The pictures of several clerks will be thrown on the canvas later.

—Officer Soule has moved from the house which he has been occupying on Murray street to a part of a double house on Walker street.

—Mr. O. L. Perkins and Miss Perkins of Clyde street went to Poland, Me., this week where they will stay for a few weeks.

—Another new lodge will be organized here. It pays \$100 in 6 months. Assessments, \$4, with the promise of 2 each month.

—Mrs. Fayette Shaw and Mr. Delos Shaw left on the noon train Tuesday for Sparta, Wisconsin. Mr. Shaw is engaged in business in the West.

—W. H. Dyer, the well-known market-man, has leased the N. S. Smith house on Spruce street, where he moved with his family this week.

—Land has been broken for the cellar of Officer Clay's new house on Washington street. Contract for the building has been given to Billings.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Chadwick left Moosilauke, Breezy Point, N. H., Monday for Bradford, Vt., where they will pass the balance of their vacation.

—Mr. J. Cheever Fuller has returned from a fishing trip looking healthy and sunburned. He thoroughly enjoyed himself during his stay at the seashore.

—Little Bessie Hartshorne feels very proud of her catch of fish this season at Prudence, yesterday caught a very large flounder landed it safely all alone.

—The Rev. C. Elwood Nash will occupy the pulpit of the Universalist church the first, second and fourth Sundays of August. Seats free and all cordially invited.

—Mrs. J. C. McIntyre and family are spending a pleasant vacation at Pigeon Cove. A delightful carriage ride brought them to that very pretty summer resort.

—Mr. J. F. Carter and family left here this week for Montague, Mass., a pleasant town in the Western part of the state where they will enjoy the summer months.

—We are happy to announce the fact that work has been commenced on that much desired bath-house and there is now a prospect of a swim before the advent of cold weather.

—Mr. and Mrs. Austin R. Mitchell left here today for Poland Springs, Me. Mr. Mitchell's coachman has taken down a handsome pair and the pleasures of carriage driving will not be forgotten.

—Electric light fixtures have been placed in the Newton Club stables, also wires in such a manner that the push of an electric button will call the steward who can turn on the light from the clubhouse.

—Mr. E. Bradshaw and his honest wife now court old ocean's breeze, and swing in hammocks all day long where limbs of apple trees is. They have gone to White Horse Beach, Plymouth, and will probably return Monday.

—G. W. Brown recently made 217 in a single string on the Newton club alleys. This makes him second man in the big score record which is summed up as follows: Savage, 230; Brown, 217; Follett, 214; Powers, 200; Grigg, 199; Leonard, 198.

—Alfred Fitzpatrick, the proprietor of the planing mill on Crafts street, while using one of the circular saws in his establishment Monday, had four fingers of his left hand badly cut and lacerated. Dr. O'Donnell was summoned and dressed the wounds, after which Mr. Fitzpatrick was taken to his home.

—Among those who will spend the month of August at the Moosilauke, Breezy Point, N. H., are Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Keene. Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Grant, Miss June Grant, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Kingsbury, Miss Lucy Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kimball, Master Morton Kimball, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Richards and family.

—The police nine was out for practice on the Newton B. B. ground, Watson's alley, street, Tuesday afternoon. The boys are beginning to put up a pretty good game. The nine will be probably made up as follows: Harlow, pitcher; Burke, catcher; Clay, 1st base; Dugan, 2d base; Leonard, 3d base; Davis, short-stop; R. Couray, right field; Quilty, centre field; Taft, left field.

—Mrs. E. D. Willett was called to Fonda, N. Y., Monday, by the sad news of the death of her mother who passed away Sunday after a short illness, that of typhoid pneumonia. The deceased was about 55 years of age and a most estimable lady. The funeral services were held Wednesday. Mrs. Willett will return home Monday.

—The flagstaff in the square is in dangerous condition, being completely rotted at the base and in reality only held up by four iron standards. What would become of it in case of a very high wind, to say nothing about a possible cyclone? Some of the local dealers are signing a subscription paper which calls for funds for a new pole. Good scheme. The old one ought to be removed at once.

—Mr. Henry F. Ross has been obliged to the press of business to increase the capacity of his mill by the addition of 4000 feet of additional floor space. He has recently purchased a sandpapering machine at large expense which finishes a door in short order. He has men at work on this time upon twenty-four different buildings. As evidence of the promptness with which he can fill orders, is the fact that all the windows for a church in the western part of the state were finished and sent within ten days from the receipt of the order.

—Don't forget the game tomorrow afternoon on the grounds of the Newton Base Ball Club, Watertown street. It will be a great game in which the work of the respective batteries will in a great measure determine the result. The contest will be between the St. Bernard and Bent for the Newtons. The people ought to turn out and give the boys a little encouragement. Those who love the game often spend considerable for sake of going to Boston and seeing a poor game. It would be worth their while to go and see eighteen good players at home.

—The Newton Street Railway Company announce that commencing Friday, July 25th, an electric motor car will be run regularly between West Newton and Newton, leaving Newtonville at 6:00 a. m. For West Newton, 6:15 a. m., and every hour until 4:08 p. m. For West Newton, 6:38 a. m., and every hour until 4:38. Sundays, for Newton, 7:08 a. m., and every hour until 4:08 p. m. For West Newton, 7:38 a. m., and every hour until 4:38 p. m. This arrangement is only temporary, as the company intend to put on more cars and run on half hour time as soon as it can secure sufficient power to do so.

—An exchange says that the Parker House at Kennebunkport was treated to its first sensation the past week. A sudden storm coming out of a clear sky found six young people from the house out on the river. A young man by the name of Brooks Reed, having gone up the river with a girl of twelve, Miss June Grant, of Newton; two young Boston girls, one of whom could not row at all, and neither swim, had rowed the boat, and the other had no means of knowing that the man was afraid of water in any shape. For a brief while the office of the Parker House was a scene of confusion, as one young lady, with Mr. Crosby, of Newton, finding the barge was not going to the beach, had started to row down in the young girl's boat. Men were sent up the river, and as those who went down could not row, swimming could swim, less anxiety was felt for them. The mother prepared Jamaica ginger to give the trunks a warm reception. Finally Mr. Reed and Miss Grant were found very wet in a farmhouse about a mile up the river; the young girls were assisted out of the swift current, before the rain struck, by two passing oarsmen, Messrs. Buckley, of Boston, and took refuge in Mr. Brook Newton's empty cottage until the storm cleared and they could walk to the hotel. Meantime, those who had rowed down stream, after spending a time on the sand, had started to row home, and when they reached Kennebunkport Club House until the storm was quite over. It was really amusing to see each mother march triumphantly in to dinner with her one child, after the safe return. What they are now trying to settle is, how many of them swallowed the Jamaica ginger which was in readiness for their return.

WEST NEWTON.

—Three houses struck by lightning in this ward.

—Herbert Pratt is camping out at Centre Harbor, N. H.

—Mrs. E. Price is at the Kearsarge house, North Conway.

—Miss G. L. Lemon is spending a few days at Atlantic.

—Mrs. N. T. Lane has returned from a visit to Needham.

—Baggage Master Colligan has returned from his vacation.

—Mr. Joshua Blake is spending a few weeks at Rye Beach.

—Mr. James H. Nickerson left here today for Provincetown.

—Mr. George A. Frost and family have departed for the seashore.

—Mrs. F. W. Freeman returned from Brewster, Mass., this week.

—Mr. F. H. Sleeper and family leave for Northern New York today.

—Mr. Joseph Owens and family have arrived home from Sandwich.

—Mrs. Samuel Barnard has been seriously ill, but is now convalescing.

—Officer J. J. Davis has been laid up with a cold, but is convalescing.

—Mrs. John Greenwood is seriously ill at her residence on Temple street.

—Mr. S. E. Howard and family returned this week from Chesterfield, N. H.

—Fred Eddy, who has been visiting in Middleboro, returned home this week.

—Mr. T. A. Fleu has gone to his summer cottage, South Bristol, for a few weeks.

—Mrs. Dr. Breck has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Whittlesey this week.

—Joshua Langley and Charles Haines are enjoying their vacation at Manchester, Me.

—The Misses Langley, Cherry street, have been spending a few days in Hingham.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bullivant were among vacationists who returned home this week.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Price left Monday for the White Mountains and Farmington, Maine.

—T. F. Mague is building the foundation for a new house for Martin Hughes on Cherry place.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. Willard Carter left here yesterday for their cottage, Jerusalem Road, Nantasket.

—Mr. and Mrs. George A. Russell and Miss Kathie Russell have returned from Deer Isle, Me., where he will spend his vacation with his family.

—Frank Fuller has been having a delightful time at Squam Lake. He returned this week well tanned and healthy.

—Mr. Joseph Symonds returned this week from Palmouth, where he has been sojourning the past two weeks.

—The facts and figures concerning the valuation and tax rate cannot be furnished by the assessors until Monday.

—Mrs. Holland, Cherry street, and her niece, who is here on a visit from Connecticut, spent Wednesday in Ashland.

—Mr. George P. Whitmore and family returned from Maine last Friday, where they have been spending a pleasant vacation.

—Joseph E. Bacon and family, called on the German line steamer, "Lahn," Wednesday, from New York, bound for Hamburg.

—Miss Alice Morton, in company with Miss Walton leave this week for Hampton Beach, where they will spend their vacation.

—Mr. Phillip Perrin of London gave his family and friends a most welcome surprise visit last week. His stay here will be very brief.

—Mr. E. E. Burdon has been making improvements at his residence, Webster street, the interior being re-tinted and frescoed.

—The remains of Charles Schumaker were removed last Friday from Cate's undertaking rooms by undertaker Waterman of Roxbury.

—The city fathers and heads of departments were guests at the launching of the new three-keel steamer at Watertown, Tuesday morning.

—Mr. George E. Crawley and family have returned from Hymnispot, where they have been enjoying the ocean breezes during the heated spell.

—Rev. Dr. Faunce departed this week for the White Mountains. He will join a Raymond party later at Chicago, and probably take in the famous Yellowstone Park.

—Albert S. Glover is mentioned in connection with the Republican nomination in the Legislature. He would acceptably fill the bill and Ward Three has the call.

—Mr. and Mrs. Olin F. Ellis are in Maine on a two weeks' trip. They will visit Old Orchard and York Beach during their absence and will return home early in August.

—Don't forget the game of ball Saturday afternoon on the Newton B. A. grounds, Watertown street, between the St. Bernards and Newtons. Game called at 3:30 o'clock.

—The city clerk received a message this week from a gentleman requesting him to notify his neighbor to keep his hens shut up. Little out of the line of the city clerk's duties by the way.

—Policeman William Harlow will be married at noon Monday to Miss Adelaide P. Fowler of Somerville. The ceremony will occur at the residence of the bride's parents, and will be a private affair. The groom, where they will pass their honeymoon. They will reside in West Newton. The good wishes of many friends are with them in their new relation.

—J. Wiley Edmunds Camp 100 received four applications for membership at their regular meeting Monday evening, and initiated two new members. Dispositions have been received from division headquarters, allowing the camp to adopt U. S. cavalry uniforms, and no other of the late to receive the whole in time for the August parade. A drum corps, twelve in number has been engaged by the camp, and is now in charge of Musician Holmes practicing for the 12th.

—It was pretty generally hinted a short time ago that a certain Boston police signal company would prevent the well known company from operating its system here, on the ground of alleged stealing or imitation of devices already protected by patents. It was, however, found that the would become involved in a law suit. The Gamewell company's system has now been in operation some little time, the city hasn't suffered financially and no attempt has been made to place legal restraint upon the system now in use here and by the way, working very satisfactorily.

—The Newton Street Railway Co., are running an electric motor car regularly between West Newton and Newton, on the following time: Leave West Newton at 6:10 a. m., 7:00 and every hour until 4:00 p. m. Returning leave Newton at 6:30 a. m., and every hour until 3:30 p. m. On Sundays the first car will leave West Newton at 7:00 a. m., and every hour until 4:00 p. m. and every hour until 4:30 p. m. This arrangement is only temporary, as the company intend to put on more cars and run on half hour time as soon as it can secure power sufficient to do so.

—Gustavus D. Lewis, for many years employed as express messenger by C. H. Jenison, has resigned his position and has entered the employ of his son, Edward F. Lewis, who is conducting a business in Waltham. Mr. Lewis had been in the employ of Mr. Jenison for nineteen years and was a familiar figure on the train, generally officiating at the tables. He will be missed from his accustomed place, and the good wishes of many friends will follow him in his new duties. Mr. Lewis will remove with his family from West Newton and have rented a house in Waltham where he will be soon settled.

—After August 1, the Hersey Water Meter Company will be known as the Hersey Manufacturing Company, having bought out the business of Hersey Brothers. The new company has organized and elected Mr. Albert S. Glover of this city, secretary. Besides water meters, it will now handle and manufacture sugar, salt and soap machinery and other specialties. It is a well known fact that the water meters, which include 8 Newton meters, are estimated to be worth about 20,000,000. During the past year, the sale of water meters in New England has shown a very large increase compared with the sales of preceding years.

—A special outdoor meeting of the board of health was held last Saturday afternoon. The premises adjoining Kegan's blacksmith shop were visited also the section comprised in the area bounded by Elm and River streets, Abnurdale and Oak avenues. Another hearing was ordered on the petition of E. P. Bond, to be held Tuesday afternoon next. The Charles Potter estate, corner of Waltham and Webster streets was visited and a cesspool ordered cleaned out. A vault and cesspool was ordered raised on the estate of C. F. Tuttle, Margin street. A request for a reduction of assessment on the property of Knowles street drain, was refused G. C. Tobey. A letter from Dr. Crehore calling attention to refuse matter in the rocks at the Charles river, was referred to Agent French for investigation; also a letter from W. T. Farley, referring to the condition of the Charles river above the dam, on account of the drawing off of a large quantity of water.

—Officer Libby of the central police station met with a serious accident just after the storm last evening. Finding a telephone wire down on Washington street near Elm, he started to remove it, grabbing hold of it to drag it away, and receiving a bad shock from the current of electricity. He dropped to the ground, and being unable to release his hold of the wire, writhed and screamed in agony until Everett Palmer, the assistant clerk in Wright's pharmacy, succeeded in pulling the wire from the clenched hand, using a pine board as a lever. The officer was picked up and sent to Dr. F. E. Crockett's sumner. He gradually recovered from the effects of the shock, but complained of severe pains in the limbs. His fingers were pretty badly burned. Later in the evening he pluckily resumed his duty in patrolling the streets, having apparently fully recovered from the effects of a very unpleasant experience. About 10 o'clock he was assigned for duty on the patrol wagon. Officer Shannon taking his place on the street.

—The GRAPHIC has it appears, inadvertently misrepresented Conductor Palmer of the Newton Circuit train in a paragraph alluding to the ejection of a passenger last week. It seems that while the conductor named was performing his duty in preserving order upon the smoking car of the 11.15 p. m. train July 19, the method he

adopted was impertinently challenged by a passenger having no special interest in the affair. This individual, it is said, concluded his criticism by branding the conductor as a liar in a public manner. He was therefore requested to be silent or leave the car. Under such circumstances, Conductor Palmer's position in this affair could not be censured, as it is his duty to preserve order in the interests of the law abiding patrons of the road. The GRAPHIC would rather endorse than reproach a man for doing his duty. The case was originally presented by parties who claimed that they were witnesses, in an entirely different light, it appearing from their testimony that the man had been guilty of no offence.

AUBURNDALE.

—Mr. A. V. Kibbey has gone to Webster.

—Mrs. F. A. Sawyer has returned home after a brief outing.

—Mrs. A. J. Johnson has returned from her visit to Southboro.

—Miss Alice Osgood is visiting at her home in Fryeburg, Me.

—Mr. F. E. Davidson returned home this week from Cottage City.

—Miss Bessie Anderson is vacationing for a few weeks at Boylston.

—Ronald Southard has returned from his week's vacation to Quincy.

—Geo. Strong started this week on his fishing trip to Sebago Lake, N. H.

—Mr. H. W. Dwight and family are domiciled at the Preston Beach, Blunt.

—Mrs. Cook of Woodbine avenue, is out of town on a two weeks' vacation.

—Mr. L. M. Morton and family, Hancock street, have gone to Waterville, Me.

—The plank walk in the tunnel was aloft after the severe rain last Saturday.

—Mr. Wm. H. Richards and family, Woodland avenue, are entertaining friends.

—George Chapin is clerking at F. A. Childs' grocery store for a few weeks.

—Mr. H. R. Turner and family left yesterday morning for a few weeks at Cottage City.

—Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Pluta expect to start Monday for a few weeks' rest at Weir, N. H.

—Clarence McKay of Brookline has been with friends in town for a few days this week.

—Baggage-master Randall was off duty Saturday afternoon from a bad sprain of his foot.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clarke, of the Clarke Hotel, Boston, are stopping at the Woodland Park Hotel.

—Walter Standish is on the road in Auburn and Stanley's book, and is having good success.

—Some very original items were published in another paper last week, suggestive of real romance.

—The house on Charles street recently occupied by Mr. Henry Roberts is being thoroughly repaired.

—Mr. Chas. H. Sprague and family of Auburn street, have gone to Cottage City for their annual outing.

—Mr. Ballard, who has been stopping with Mr. Geo. Sheppard, is taking a short trip to the south shore resorts.

—Mr. E. W. Keyes made a few days' visit to Bath, Me., this week and strolled about the numerous shipyards there.

—Miss Spratt has closed her dressmaking establishment, and is visiting friends in Taunton and vicinity.

—John Crocker, of H. E. Woodberry's, is at Gloucester on his vacation, and Frank Priest of West Newton takes his place.

—The house of Mrs. Mary H. Kimball of Melrose street was struck by lightning last evening, but very little damage was done.

—Mr. Briggs, of the wholesale grocery firm of Briggs & Shattuck, Boston, has left the Woodland Park Hotel for a short trip.

—Mr. A. L. Damon, bookkeeper for Mr. F. A. Childs, takes his vacation next week, and will spend it visiting friends in Lynn and Marshfield.

—Messrs. Henry See of Waltham and Harvey Bartlett are clearing out the brush and making a nice grove on the bank opposite Lily Point Grove, Charles River.

—Driver John Williams, of Hoxe & family returned from their vacation this week at Middleboro, where Mr. Williams enjoyed plenty of fishing at the lakes.

—Mr. Geo. R. Coffin and family, who have been spending a few weeks at Oyster Pond, near the Sunset Hill House, Sugar Hill, N. H.

—Mr. William E. Plummer passed quietly away from this life, this Friday forenoon at 11 o'clock, at his late residence. Mr. Plummer has been a prominent man in Newton for many years, and he will be greatly missed by many friends. For the past year he has been in ill health. He was born in Newburyport 55 years ago. He was a member of the Democratic State Committee and for several years was one of the active members of the Ward and City Committee of Newton.

—We find the following very handsome notice of one of Newton's popular resorts in the paper. The popular Woodland Park Hotel, only ten miles from Boston on the Charles river, is open all the year round. Every convenience is provided and the nearest to the city has made it well known to Bostonians, many of whom live there all the year. The situation is delightful, and driving and boating are but two of the many pastimes enjoyed. The cuisine is unsurpassed and the courteous prompt attention of the manager, Mr. Joseph Lee, to all the desires of his guests has added not a little to the popularity of his admirable house.

—The case growing out of the troubles in the Church of the Messiah was before Judge Knowlton of the Supreme Court Tuesday. When the matter was before Judge Knowlton several weeks ago he decided that a writ of mandamus must issue, as prayed for by the petitioners, but at the request of the petitioners, the writ was not actually issued. The condition of things desired does not now exist and the petitioners are not entitled to the writ. Judge Knowlton granted the writ, but ordered the plaintiffs Nye and Baldwin to pay costs of court. To reach the question at issue by a writ of mandamus, he said, was a peculiar proceeding and one that had no standing in most States and probably not in England. The recognized way of determining the right to office was by quo warranto, but the practice of Massachusetts had reached that stage that a mandamus and quo warranto could be united in one proceeding.

—Gems of art in Mirrors, Cheval Glasses, Cabinets, Antique Desks, Corner and Reception Chairs, and antique pieces of lovely furniture dangle and almost bewilder the visitor in his first visit to the spacious warehouses of Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, Boston.

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SWEET MEMORIES.

When winter hails her bitter blast
Across the unprotected moor
The traveler, with hasty feet
Speeds on toward his cabin door
But though the sharp fanged, nipping air
May crust his youthful pulses thrilled,
It cannot from his memory tear
The sweet delights of summer time.

So every memory borne of joy
Will live as long as life's a feast;
No changes can the charm destroy
Tis proof against every arrow cast.
A backward view recalls the hours
That once our youthful pulses thrilled,
As aromatic summer flowers
Live in the scent from them distilled.

The memory of a childhood passed
Beneath a gentle smile o'er the east,
With love's sweet mantle o'er its cast,
Can never wholly pass away.
Whatever adult fate the praise,
Still will the fond heart sometimes turn
Back to those careless, happy days.

"MARMY."

BY SOPHIE SWETT.

(From Harper's Young People.)

"If it were not for the Dadds and the Dusenberrys—"

That was what Miss Jane Pritchard said when her niece Nellie wished to teach the summer school at Gilead Corner. And old Dr. Varnum of the School Committee said the same thing, with grave head-shakings, when Nellie applied to him for the school.

"They're a rough set over at the Corner, and the Dadds and the Dusenberrys keep up a perpetual quarrel. I'm afraid they'd be more than you could manage, my dear."

"Let me try, doctor. I'm not afraid." And Miss Nellie drew her nineteen-year-old slimmest very erect.

The upshot of the matter was that Nellie secured the school, and on the first Monday morning when she "called the roll" her heart beat a lively accompaniment to the names of the Dadds and the Dusenberrys. She had found in the desk the book which her predecessor had used, and it had occurred to her that it would simplify matters to call the names which she found there, and see how many were still pupils.

There was nothing very alarming in the appearance of the Dadds and Dusenberrys who answered to their names on that Monday morning. The Dadds were dark, straight-haired little fellows of a most serious aspect, from Hosea, aged twelve, down to Aaron, who was six, and spoke thickly, by reason of having his thumb in his mouth. Tow hair, snub-noses and freckles seemed to be the characteristics of the Dusenberrys—Leck (a nickname evolved somewhat mysteriously from Alexander), Leonidas and Phoebe Jane. In addition to these family characteristics, Phoebe Jane, aged ten, had a remarkably prominent chin, and an angular little figure which showed energy and determination in every line. She was near-sighted, and her eyes were slightly crossed, and it was this, probably, which caused the slight scowl which the new teacher thought looked defiant. She remembered the wise talks about physiognomy which she had heard at her college at the time when the composite photographs were taken, and said to herself that if any one of the Dadds or Dusenberrys should prove "more than she could manage," it would be Phoebe Jane. And she adhered to this opinion, although Phoebe Jane showed a disposition to be helpful, and was full of information which proved to be more reliable than that which the other children offered. She knew that little Lysander Hinkins was coming to school soon as his grandmother finished his new trousers, and that Sarah Ann Grindall "didn't" believe the new teacher knew beans.

Miss Pritchard had appointed Phoebe Jane spokeswoman, because every question she asked a babel of voices arose, from which it was impossible to obtain any intelligible answer. It was immediately evident that Phoebe Jane had been made an object of envy to the others. Viola Cook, the largest girl in the school, "made faces" at her in the most open and unabashed manner, and while Phoebe Jane stood properly erect, with her arms folded behind her, Miss Pritchard saw with surprise that her face was growing scarlet and her eyes filling with tears. She was hoping that she had not said anything to wound her feelings, when Emeretta Cook, who sat in the front seat, arose from an excursion on the floor, and frantically waving her hand for permission to speak, cried out, "Drusilly Pepper's a-pinchin' her legs!"

And at the same moment Phoebe Jane's stoical endurance gave way, and she swooped upon the offending Drusilly, whose cries testified to a sunny pun on men. After Miss Pritchard had tried to administer strict justice, receiving from Drusilly as an explanation of her conduct that Phoebe Jane was "teacher's pet," she attempted to go on with the roll.

When she called Electa Dodd's name there had been no reply of "present," and now, as she inquired where Electa Dodd was, Phoebe Jane surprised her by bursting into tears. Miss Pritchard looked anxiously upon the floor, thinking that the revenger of partiality must have again resorted to pinching, but Emeretta Gooch again explained:

"She feels bad because Lecty Dodd can't never come to school any more. She fell off 'em the hay-loft, and now she can't walk a single step. She likes Lecty, and Lecty likes her, if all their folks is a-fightin' and a-quarrellin', and always was. Daddies try to say that Phoebe Jane pushed her off 'em the hay-loft, but Lecty said 'twain' so, and no body don't believe it, if Phoebe Jane has got an awful quick temper. Daddies was mad because Phoebe Jane was over there when Lecty was always gettin' together when they could. Daddies and Dusenberrys—"

Miss Pritchard interrupted Emeretta's flow of information by calling the next name, Phoebe Jane womanfully swallowed the lump in her throat, and pressing her lips tightly together to hide their quivering, stood in the same proper attitude, her little sharp elbows protruding at each side, ready to answer the new teacher's questions. But the very next day Miss Pritchard had reason to think that, after all, she had not been mistaken in expecting that Phoebe Jane would be "hard to manage." By that time something like order and discipline had been

established. The new teacher was strict in suppressing whispering and all communication. When a small wad of paper came flying across the room, and was dexterously caught by Phoebe Jane Dusenberry, who unrolled it and read something written upon it, Miss Pritchard promptly commanded her to bring the paper to the desk. After one instant's hesitation, Phoebe Jane popped the little wad of paper into her mouth, chewed it determinedly with her small strong teeth, and swallowed it.

This was the first open rebellion that the new teacher had encountered. There was a murmur all over the school-room, surprise not unmixed with a delightful excitement. It was "teacher's pet" who had been guilty of this daring disobedience.

"Phoebe Jane Dusenberry will stay in at recess," said Miss Pritchard, so calmly that no one would have supposed that she was inwardly sorely disquieted and perplexed about what she was to do with this small rebel.

After she had marshalled the others out in single file to recess—an astonishing innovation for the Corner school, where they had always been allowed to go out with a rush and a whoop at the touch of the teacher's bell—Miss Pritchard returned, with a troubled mind, to Phoebe Jane, who sat with a staid and defiant air before the window, on the other side of which some laughing boys had gathered, and a little Aaron Dodd's scornful face was raised as far above the sill as his extremely limited height would permit. The teacher waved the boys away with an imperative gesture.

"Lal you needn't trouble about them young ones. I can't do it, them," remarked Phoebe Jane with calm superiority.

"Phoebe Jane, why didn't you obey me when I told you to bring that paper to my desk?" said Miss Pritchard.

"Cause I wa'n't a-goin' to have anybody know what was written in that paper," said Phoebe Jane firmly. "I ketcht it on the fly, so's Lecty couldn't get it. Hossy Dodd he throwed it to Lecty; he was mad 'cause Lecty got above him, but sence he beat Lecty choosin' sides he won't say no more. But if Lecty had read what was wrote there, he'd a carried the paper straight home to Hash. Our Hash he's said he'd shoot D'ri Dodd if ever he heard of his sayin' agin that 'twas him that cut the underpinning of the bridge over their crick time it broke, and D'ri got carried off and 'most drowned. You don't know our Hash so well as I do. He'll do what he says will, and there ain't any stoppin' him."

Miss Pritchard had indeed heard that Ahasuerus, the oldest of the Dusenberry boys, was a lawless fellow, and the prime mover in the feud between the two families.

"Hossy wrote that 'twas Hash that cut the bridge, and that I pushed Lecty off 'em the hay-loft. I'm tellin' you Lecty what was wrote, ain't it? But you don't 'pear to be one of them kind that tells all they know. But I was afraid you'd read it right out if I carried it to you. The teacher we had last summer she used to do that with every note she could ketch; so I wanted to mind you. I like you real well, but, you see, there wa'n't anything I could do but jest swallow that note. I didn't want to make you mad at me, but I don't care for anything if I can only jest keep the boys from quarrellin' and fightin'. It makes Lecty feel awful. Me 'n' Lecty like each other. We always did. You see, it's awful lonesome where we live. There ain't many houses, and what there is is chookly of boys. That's what makes the boys think so much of me; where girls is scarce, they do. Hash he's said they'll do anything for me, except to quit fightin' Daddies. There ain't any mother to our house either, so they call me Marmy."

"It's jest the same way over to Lecty's, only they've got a gra'mother. We got so we didn't dars't to speak to one another. Lecty 'n' me, only jest through a chink in the fence, except that one day when they were all gone away but Gram, and I went over to their barn, and Lecty fell, and they said I pushed her. That was an awful foolish story to tell, for, if I be quick, I never get mad with other. The boys set out to throw a kitter that I gave her through the chink in the fence. They didn't, 'cause Lecty cried; but they wouldn't have it round the house, and Lecty has to keep it 'way up-stairs in the mill. It's got a whole family of kittens now, all up in the mill chamber, and Gram has to feed them. Lecty think everyting of that yellow cat, but until she got hurt, D'ri was always threatenin' to drown her, 'cause she was our cat once. D'ri is the worst, unless it's our Hash, and they used to be great friends once, too. So, now, I wa'n't to blame for swallowin' the paper, was I?"

Phoebe Jane had poured out her story breathlessly, as if it were a relief to an over-full heart.

"I—I wish that you had brought it to me, and asked me not to read it aloud," said Miss Pritchard, hesitating between due regard for discipline and sympathy for Phoebe Jane's feelings which seemed too deep for her years.

"I didn't stop to think, and if I had, I don't expect I could have risked it. You see, Lecty 'n' me have got a plan. I wrote it to her, and she kept wavin' and wavin' at me, and I know how glad she'll be if we can do it. You see, Lecty's boys and our boys are all over to Cumberland Village to the Fourth of July celebration. Hash said he'd take me, and I guess he didn't know what to make of it when I said I didn't want to go. There ain't goin' to be anybody at home at Lecty's but jest Gram, and she'll be like us 'Gra'mother's always will help you. She'll bring Lecty as far as the fence—there's quite a piece between Lecty's house and mine, if the farms does join—and then Hully, our work-girl, will carry her the rest of the way; she ain't much more'n a feather now. Lecty ain't, she's fell away so. Some folks might not think it was any great feat for Lecty to spend the day with me, but Lecty will, and it seems as if I couldn't stand it if anything should happen so she couldn't come. You do get awful sick of such a lot of boys as there is at home and Lecty's, even if you do think a lot of 'em. And it's so hard to bring 'em up right, that you do want a little rest, with no one but Lecty and the dolls."

Phoebe Jane heaved a deep sigh of responsibility, and Miss Pritchard responded a smile. Her interview with her disobedient "kitten" pupil was not what she had expected to be, but she found Phoebe Jane's confidences interesting.

"Elder Doak heard what they called me," continued Phoebe Jane, vaguely aware that she had found a sympathetic listener, and he patted me on the head just as if I was little, you know; and says he, 'Bring 'em up well, Marmy; bring 'em up well!'"

With a sudden awakening to her duty, Miss Pritchard touched the bell, and the children came trooping in, looking with round-eyed wonder at the clock, and congratulating each other with futile nudges upon the new teacher's ignorance of the proper limits of a recess.

"I hope that Marmy and Lecty will have their day together," was the first thing that the new teacher thought on the morning of the Fourth. She drew her curtain aside when she heard the rattle of wheels, and saw with satisfaction all the younger Dusenberry boys in their wagon, with Hash, a big, brawny fellow of seventeen, riding his black mare—all on the way to Cumberland Village. Every one of them she had heard the Dodd boys go by, shouting and firing crackers. She felt a little anxious lest they should get into a quarrel at the celebration. She did not know that Hash, penned in behind the woodshed door by Marmy, had held up his chin defiantly, and solemnly promised that he would not. Hash would not always promise like that; when he did, Marmy could have a quiet mind.

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plucky one." "T'was a cat and kittens that she was after, and she dropped 'em down in a basket." "The stairs must have gone just as D'ri got up."

"He's got to the little girl, though." "There they are in the window." These were the confused cries that Hash heard, in the blinding glare he saw a little white face and a low head in the window.

"It's Marmy!" he cried, and rushed toward the burning ruin. But strong arms held him back, and just then a shout arose from the crowd.

"D'ri has jumped into the water with the girl." "He's swimming." "There it goes"—the mill walls had fallen with a crash—"but he's clear of it." "But he'll sink if he don't let go of the girl."

"No, he won't; they're helping him out!" "Ewell, you couldn't see D'ri Dodd would have risked his life for one of the Dusenberrys."

Hash heard it all as if in a dream, as he pushed his way frantically through the crowd, and took Marmy's dripping, motionless little figure from D'ri Dodd's arms.

"Don't feel as if I was fit, D'ri Dodd," he said, huskily, "but I'd like to shake hands with a hero like you and—the fellow that saved Marmy."

The first thing that Marmy said was: "Tell Lecty they're safe—Marmy Buttercup and all the kittens. And, oh, Lecty, I want to see you!"

They thought that her brain was turned—as if Marmy's steady little brain was likely to be—but they found that it was true. The doctor said that it often happened in cases like Lecty's that the power of motion returned with sudden excitement. She might have relapsed, but it was probable that she would in time be fully restored to health.

And, in fact, in the last week of the term Lecty answered "present" to her name in the corner school.

Hash says he "never will quarrel with the fellow that saved Marmy," and Elder Doak says "it is a wonder how Marmy brings up her boys."

The Wheel in its Native Home.

Nearly ten years ago, in a short driving tour through the prettiest portion of England, one quiet June afternoon, on the road from Leamington to Coventry, we came around a turn upon a curious and unexpected sight; a most respectable looking old dame, in a quaintly made gown, a poke-bonnet of yellowish straw, with smooth bands of gray hair beneath, sitting quietly and respectfully in a kind of open buggy; a strange three-wheeled affair—two large wheels in front, and a small one behind, which she was propelling by a steady treadle motion of her feet; guiding the whole thing by the turn of a lever or crank that she held in her hand. It was no old-time "outrider," but was not altogether without attendant. A little maid-servant, half grown, walked briskly behind her mistress, and it soon became evident that she was expected to lend a helping hand to push the machine up hill when they came to rising ground.

It was an amusing picture, and so new to American eyes that the expression was ventured that the "old lady must be queer; a little off, perhaps."

The English coachman met this with great warmth. "Indeed, not, mum; she belongs to the gentry, mum; and wheels is quite the fashion, mum, for ladies in these parts; and it's elegant exercise it is, too, mum."

His words were true. Coventry is the home of the wheel, and we soon found that the tri-cycle had been generally adopted by the ladies there. Two fresh-looking English girls in a double-seated tri-cycle, spinning along to the depot, was the last picture we had in the town of Peeping Tom as we rolled away the next day.

As soon as we were used to the novelty of the idea, it seemed a sensible, independent, pleasant way of getting about, and there certainly was a delicious freedom about it for an afternoon sketch in open air. But it was set down in the traveller's note-book with emphasis that as a form of exercise for the body, it would register no favor in England; a tri-cycle would never be numbered among the possessions of an American woman. And the bicycle! All the proprieties since Martha Washington forbade.

But seven years, we are told, brings a complete reorganization of the man physical and doubled the number of sympathizers in the change and the uproot of old lines. The tri-cycle has crossed the ocean; has been adapted to and placed at the service of American women, and by use has gradually given place to the neat, manageable little bicycle.—Emma Moffett Tying, in Harper's Bazar.

Swimming for Boys.

"I never would allow my boy to know how to swim," said the mother of an only son, "and I never could bear to have him in a boat. Skating I always detested, and ball-playing I consider vulgar. He had a horse for riding, and he was always allowed to walk as much as he chose." (!)

Her hearers understood why it was that her son had grown up to be a narrow-chested and delicate man, and were thankful that he was permitted to go outdoors at all in his boyhood.

Fortunately this young man had possessed the attributes for walking, and also for study, which had kept him from inactivity, and also out of mischief. But for an active, full-blooded boy not decidedly studious, such a bringing-up as has been described would have meant either ruin or death.

There is no reason to descant upon the manifold attractions and uses of swimming. All proper precautions for his safety should be taken, and your boy should learn to swim. Never let him go into the water unless he is well; neither let him go alone or with flighty boys only, even when he has mastered the art. Bathing accidents and accidents of all sorts are too common for that. Keep him away from rapids and whirlpools, and impress upon him at every opportunity, by an anecdote, precept and example, the necessity of exercising prudence in the matter. Especially see that he is familiar with remedies for cramp, and with the modes of reviving the prone.

Many a valuable life has been lost because a boy's companions did not understand how to use proper restoratives when his body was first recovered from the water.—Kate Upson Clark, in Harper's Bazar.

It now seems probable that the electric street railway company will be granted a franchise through Natick from the Wellesley line to the Framingham line, as well as through South Framingham to the Ashland line, and the promoters claim that as soon as the franchise is secured, work on building the lines will be commenced. The whole scheme proposed will include the towns between here and Boston.—Framingham Gazette.

Literary Notes.

The August number for The Forum will contain a remarkable essay, by Princep Kropotkin, on "The Possibilities of Agriculture." He has made a thorough investigation of the fabulous results of scientific cultivation of land in the most densely populated portions of Europe, and shows the ease with which the number of acres now cultivated in the civilised parts of the world can be made to yield sustenance for many times the number of people now alive. Scientific and intensive agriculture in the United States, by instance, can be made to sustain it plenty, and with much greater cheapness than now, a population at least ten times as dense. The writer shows conclusively why it is that such slow progress is made in these revolutionary improvements in agriculture; but predicts with confidence that we are on the eve of the reign of plenty. He proposes that a hundred acres be cultivated in this way as part of the exposition at Chicago, in order to demonstrate the possibilities of multiplying many times the products of the American farmer.

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NEWTON CENTRE.

—Mrs. Dr. Clark is in Springfield.
—Strange how absent minded some individuals are.
—Mr. Walter Thorpe is driving a nice looking team.
—Mrs. B. Wood and daughter have gone to Weir, N. H.
—Prof. Charles Rufus Brown has been in town this week.
—Mrs. T. A. Plimpton and family have gone to Laconia, N. H.
—Mrs. E. T. Colburn, Centre street, has departed for Antrim, N. H.
—Mrs. Norman George has returned this week from her Montreal visit.
—Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Wright are at the Clifton House for the summer.
—Miss Annie Young, of Crescent avenue is summering at Naples, Mass.
—Mr. T. C. Armstrong and family returned from Nova Scotia this week.
—Mrs. H. N. Smith and family went to Providence, R. I., the first of the week.
—Mrs. Charles Everett of Parker street has gone to New Jersey to visit friends.
—Mr. S. A. Shannon and family, Moreland avenue, have gone to Laconia, N. H.
—Miss Flora Sherman and Miss Carrie Dudley are taking a trip to Portland, Me.
—Mr. A. J. Carswell and family are spending the month of August at Littleton, N. H.
—Dr. Henry J. Bigelow went to Marblehead Neck this week for rest and recreation.
—Mr. C. R. White and family, of Parker street, have returned from New Hampshire.
—Mr. and Mrs. Byers, Moreland avenue, are located at Paul Smith's in the Adirondacks.
—Mr. D. W. Eagles and three children are spending a week with friends in Groton.
—Mr. C. C. Barton and family returned from a visit in the state of Connecticut, Tuesday.
—Dr. D. B. Cladin and family leave their residence here for the Algonquin, St. Andrews, N. B., today.
—Mr. H. H. Read and family, who have been stopping at Wayland Inn, have now gone to Wadsworth, Vt.
—Mr. Robt. S. Gardner and family have registered at "The Algonquin," St. Andrews, N. B., this week.
—Mr. Louis Melcher and family, Bowen street, have returned from their vacation trip in New Hampshire.
—Mrs. Samuel Ward and family, Crescent avenue, have returned from their outing at Sargeantville, Me.
—Mr. H. B. Sawyer of Chestnut Hill is registered this week at the Nanepashemet house, Marblehead Neck.
—Mrs. C. M. Newton of Beacon street is very seriously ill with typhoid fever. She is attended by Dr. Loring.
—Prof. Brown is here for a few days looking after his home on Institution Hill which is undergoing repairs.
—Prof. J. M. English and family returned from Osterville, Mass., to their Beacon street residence, this week.
—Mr. Herbert Wade, Bowen street, has removed from his residence there to his new purchase on Cypress street.
—Rev. William L. Harven, a former pastor, will preach at the M. E. church next Sunday in the pastor's absence.
—W. E. Armstrong purchased a fast driving horse and a buggy of George Fife, Wednesday, for his personal use.
—Chas. Hamell is taking a week's vacation from his work at W. O. Knapp & Co.'s grocery, visiting friends at Canton.
—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Rand will take a carriage drive through New Hampshire and Vermont during the next two weeks.
—J. Frank Makee is driving Mr. S. G. Steeves' horse on his depot carriage, during the latter's vacation trip to Harley, N. B.
—James McWhinney has moved his family from the Armstrong house, Centre St. to a tenement in Councilman Koffe's block.
—Mr. N. T. Leganger, the artist, who has a studio at 180 Tremont street, Boston, has leased the Knight house, on Crystal street.
—Mr. George Warren, of Gibbs street, is able to be out of doors and his friends will be glad to welcome him among them again.
—Mr. Geo. P. Davis and family are again at their residence on Pelham street after a pleasant sojourn at Seal Harbor, Mount Desert.
—Mr. John Stearns has so far recovered his sight as to be able to drive out again which must be a great pleasure to him as well as his friends.
—Miss Maud Crane, Oak Hill, returned with Miss Lottie Dutton who has been visiting her, to her home, Billerica, Mass., where she will spend a week or more.
—Mr. Harry S. Williams, with a party of 20, visited Babylon in Roxbury Wednesday evening, by way of Wilson Bros' chariot drawn by three fine chargers, and witnessed the ruins of the doomed city.
—List of advertised letters: Mrs. Bridget Daly, Wm. P. Eisonhaar, Alice M. Jackson, J. S. Murphy, Mrs. Rogers, Dennis Ryan, Mrs. Mary B. Taylor, Mrs. E. Virter, Miss Annie Wadsworth, Charles White.
—In the Newton police court, Monday, Henry Sharp of Highlandville, for violation of a city ordinance, in collecting swill without a permit, was fined \$5 without cost. He was arrested by Officer Fletcher on Beacon street.
—Richard Huggard who drives one of the teams from Richardson's market, was surprised into a 100 yard dash by the horse starting to run on Gibbs street, Friday. Richard was at the end of the reins and was dragged pretty roughly, but held on until he stopped the horse.
—Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Nickerson, Institution avenue, started yesterday in company with several other members of the Ingleswood Fish and Game Club, and their families, for a month's "roughing it" on the reservation of the club in New Brunswick. A special car conveyed the party.
—Messrs. D. H. McWain, H. S. Williams, F. W. Stevens and Welles Polly went to Swampscott last Thursday. hired a yacht and crew and spent the day fishing for cod, catching five large ones. A "good time" was enjoyed by all but one. It is the fortunate landman who always carries his sea legs with him.
—The choir of the Congregational church will be absent the first two Sundays in August. In their absence the singing will be by the congregation assisted by a volunteer chorus. Mr. Geo. H. Brown, the organist, has not been absent a single Sabbath during the twenty-five years he has occupied that position.
—The following are registered at the Crowninshield, Marblehead Neck, from here: H. B. Waters, H. F. Hatch, G. E. Leonard, R. Grimes Bennett, D. W. Bond, Frederick Wildes, J. E. Rising, W. L. Sanborn, L. G. Paul, H. L. Burdick, C. D. Barton, A. M. Fisher, S. J. Duckworth, Henry Smith, F. E. Rising.

—The lightning was very friendly here last evening and made several calls but fortunately no very serious injury was done, the most so being the bolt that struck the Methodist church, tearing off some of the shingles and copper sheathing. Several trees were struck about the village. Up to eleven o'clock today no telephone connection could be made with the Newton exchange.

—The Rev. Theodore J. Holmes of the Congregational church will take his vacation during the month of August. In his absence the pulpit will be supplied as follows: Sunday, Aug. 3d, by the Rev. Henry F. Colby, D. D., of Dayton, Ohio; Sunday, Aug. 10th, by the Rev. Edward V. Hicks, D. D., of Andover, Mass.; Sunday, Aug. 17th, by the Rev. J. W. Maile of Newton Centre; Sunday, Aug. 24th, by the Rev. P. T. Farwell of Stockbridge, Mass.; Sunday, Aug. 31st, by the Rev. John Barstow of Glastonbury, Conn.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Miss L. M. Kendrick is at Boothbay, Me.
—Dr. and Mrs. Burr are taking a vacation.
—Mr. C. H. Guild and family are at Kennebunkport, Maine.
—Mrs. L. K. Brigham and children have gone to the Maine coast.
—Mrs. E. Fewkes and Miss Fewkes are at Campton Village, N. H.
—Mr. H. N. Carter of Chester street has returned from his vacation trip.
—Rev. and Mrs. Phipps are at Amherst, occupying the residence of Rev. F. N. Peloubet.
—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gleason have arrived home from a visit of several days in New Hampshire.
—Mr. and Mrs. William Burr have returned from Canada, where they have been visiting his father.
—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Greenwood are visiting with another, Mrs. C. Brackett, Waverley avenue, Newton.
—Mrs. J. T. Waterhouse has returned from her sojourn of four weeks at Cottage City, in company with her husband who also made a short visit there.
—Hon. J. F. C. Hyde and wife have gone to Campton Village, N. H. Miss Minnie Hyde has returned from a sojourn of several weeks on the coast of Maine.
—A large load of young men from our village went to Oakland Garden on Monday evening, to witness the Fall of Babylon, and had a very enjoyable trip.
—The following is the list of letters uncalled for at the post office: C. S. Fife, W. Hornsby, Dr. C. P. Lyman, H. A. Lane, Mrs. A. Noran, Miss Alice Sullivan, Mrs. F. B. Wood, Newton.
—Mr. Herbert Moseley, the architect, from Newtonville has moved into a new house built for him on a lot purchased of Hon. J. F. C. Hyde on Cushing street, running from Hyde to Centre streets.
—The house of Mr. Daniel O'Driscoll, the mason, of Walnut street has just been painted by Mr. V. Haffner of Newton Centre in a superior manner and presents a much improved appearance.
—Mr. M. G. Crane is moving the tools and machinery from his building on Walnut street to his factory near the railroad, lately vacated by the Gamewell Co. The Walnut street building will be finished for a dwelling house.
—Mr. M. G. Crane is now having a street made through his land running from Griffin avenue to Lake avenue, which will give a frontage to many choice house lots. The soil removed is being used to grade the grounds near his stable.
—Mr. O. J. Kimball has sold his estate to Mrs. Susanann of Newton Centre who with her son, will probably occupy it about Oct. 1st. Mr. Kimball will purchase one of the many houses now being built, or will build one for his own occupancy.

At the Newton Highlands Congregational Church services for the 1st of August will be conducted by the following preachers: Aug. 3d, Rev. R. G. Woodbridge of New York City; Aug. 10th, Rev. Wm. G. Poor of Chicago Falls; Aug. 17th, Rev. E. Blakeslee of Spencer, Mass.; Aug. 24th, Rev. E. G. Chadcock of California. Morning service at 10:30 o'clock; evening service at 7 o'clock.

One of the much needed improvements at the Highlands is a properly constructed sidewalk on the south side of Lincoln street, and as the city has offered to build the same if the owners of the estates would deed to the city a narrow strip from their frontage for sidewalk purposes. This would not only enhance the value of the estates fronting thereon, but also be a great convenience to the occupants of the estates, as well as the travelling public. We hope our friends on the south side of Lincoln street will have it attended to.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—The Patriarchal Circle is thriving.
—Mrs. A. D. Hall is with friends in Concord, N. H.
—Miss Gertrude Breck is visiting friends in Dedham.
—Mr. John A. Gould is spending a few days in Maine.
—Miss Anna Bakeman has gone to Troy, N. Y., on a visit.
—Miss Alma Palmer is stopping in Dorchester this week.
—Mr. James Nicholson is vacationing at Dartmouth, Mass.
—Mr. George B. Randall is vacationing at Hancock, N. H.
—Miss Annie Page of Chicago is visiting at Mr. Geo. Welles.
—Mrs. Wm. Clapp of Ashmont is in town visiting her parents.
—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shelly are stopping at Keene, N. H.
—Mrs. Adam Miller is visiting her early home in Nova Scotia.
—Mr. Isaac Smith is entertaining his sister from Chicopee.
—Reporters are called pretty hard names by one of our citizens.
—Mr. James B. Newell and family have gone to Hough's Neck.
—Photographer Woodill has taken some fine views of Echo Bridge.
—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Walton are with Medfield friends this week.
—Miss Rose Kempton has returned from her sojourn at Cottage City.
—Miss Nellie Bird is with friends in Hingham, Mass., for a week.
—Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Foster are in Chelsea this week visiting friends.
—Mrs. D. M. McKown is visiting her parents at No. Grovesendale.
—Mr. C. E. Hussey has gone to Farmington, N. H., for his annual rest.
—Mr. Eugene Fanning and son returned from their New York trip, Tuesday.
—Mrs. John Richardson has gone to Papham Beach, Me., for recreation.
—Mr. J. W. Woodill is to spend the next few weeks rusticating at Hough's Neck.
—Mr. Luke Hanscom moved into Mr. Threlfall's house, Cottage Hill, this week.
—Mr. Arthur R. Pitts and family are enjoying the breezes at Hough's Neck, Quincy.
—Miss Kittie Leary of Waltham is visiting her aunt, Miss Rooney on Eliot street.

—Mrs. Wesley Hinckle of Boston is visiting her mother, Mrs. Graham, of Needham.

—Bookkeeper Bowers of the Gamewell Co. is spending his vacation in New Hampshire.

—Mr. J. W. Jepson sails for England tomorrow, where he will spend a month in travel.

—The Gamewell Co. are building a stable facing Lincoln street, for the keeping of their team.

—Miss Lulu Heald of Charlestown is visiting at Mr. M. H. Coffin's, High street, for a few weeks.

—Mr. Luke Copp, one of C. H. Hale's foremen, became a benedict in New York City last Friday.

—Among the arrivals at Cone Cottages, Rockmere Point, last week were Miss S. O. Proctor and maid.

—Mrs. Beriah Billings is taking a pleasant vacation, visiting friends in Aspland and Framingham.

—Rev. Mr. Peterson and wife went to Sterling, Monday, where they spent a few days in his cottage.

—Geo. F. Gould of the Rubber Mill crushed his foot, badly with a heavy roll one day this week.

—Acting Mayor Pettie attended and delivered an address at the launching of the "Watertown," Wednesday.

—Wm. Kirwan is driving Mr. Pitts' grocery team this week and Mr. Daly is waiting on customers at the store.

—A number of hands here were thrown out of work by the burning of the bicycle factory at Highlandville last week.

—Only a number attended the muster of the 5th Regiment as friends of the Clafin Guards last Friday at So. Framingham.

—Mr. Cooper of Cooper & Dyson, received a severe cut one day this week, in which Dr. Hildreth took several stitches.

—Mr. Geo. Chambers holds an appointment as agent for the lease and care of the Henry Smith estate on Parker street, Oak Hill.

—Mr. Fred A. Flathers, superintendent of the Pettie Machine Co., stopped for a few days in one of the Cone Cottages at Rockmere Point, last week.

—Pettie Machine Works and Phipps & Train have received large consignments of coal this week which have blocked up all the freight room around the depot.

—Mr. Wm. Curtis removed to the Andrew Knapp house, Cottage Hill, this week and the house occupied by him will be occupied by Mr. R. W. Hutton of High street.

—A large gang from the Pettie Machine Works are setting up cards at the Amoskeag Mills, Manchester, N. H., and others are setting up for the Pemberton Mills, Lawrence.

—Mr. L. P. Everett has gone to Portland, Me., where it is expected he will be married in marriage Monday to Miss Annie Louise Sawyer, who spent the winter with Mrs. Mary A. Dresser.

—A liquor raid was made by Officers Ragg, Coppinger and Bearse of Needham, Sunday morning, on the place occupied by Galen Fisher, over the bridge, and a quantity of lager seized.

—The Crandall Paper Mills have orders from Whitney Bros. and the Clafin Co. of Boston for 800 reams of paper, which will weigh between 15 and 20 tons. They have other good orders from large New York firms.

—Rev. B. L. Whitman, first ordained at the Baptist church, in this place, has received a call from a society in Portland, Me., which he has accepted. Mrs. Chas. Scott of this place, Mrs. Whitman's mother, will accompany him.

—Mr. Rogers Linton has leased the photographic cur of Mr. Woodill, and intends fitting it up as an ice cream parlor, which he will open, probably, next Monday evening, and we are much mistaken if the ice cream does not disappear in some way.

—John Doyle was initiated as a brother of J. Wm. Edmunds Camp 109 Monday evening. The camp will parade as an unmounted cavalry camp, of which there is no other in the state with the single exception of the Cambridge camp, who are just arriving.

—Superintendent F. A. Flathers of the Pettie Machine Works sailed Saturday on the Cunarder Sythia for Europe in company with a few relatives for a short trip. Mr. M. H. Coffin and several other friends from the works accompanied him to Boston and waved him a bon voyage. His place will be taken by Mr. Oscar Nutter during his absence.

—The timetable of the Woonsocket division underwent a change Sunday, July 27, and the 6:55 accommodation which used to leave Needham, now comes from Medway and is run by Conductor Crowell. The morning freight now has 45 minutes here instead of 5 or 10 as before, and Baggage-master Twigg has been promoted to conductor and is in charge of the 7:37 train.

—Mr. Fred W. Stockman, who has been in Mexico for the past six months connected with the Mexican Central Railroad, as superintendent's clerk, has lately been appointed cashier to the assistant treasurer of the railroad in the city of Mexico, much to the gratification of his numerous friends here who feel that he has reached a position appropriate to his experience and ability.

—A very pleasant evening was spent by our checker enthusiasts by invitation of the Messrs. Wallace of Waltham last Saturday evening. Trial games were played during the evening, and Mr. Lowe of this village scored two out of three games with Mr. Kybert, the present champion of Newton. The gentlemen present were Messrs. Joseph Tenenley, Wm. Bird, Wm. Lowe, David Halsey and Mr. Kybert of Newton and Messrs. Wallace, Waltham.

—During the month of June just passed, Echo Bridge was visited by over 400 carriages and in July the number reached 300, the increased heat doubtless being responsible for the number being less than the previous month. At a rough estimate this would make the number of people visiting the bridge in carriages for four weeks over 1000, and if all the bicycle clubs and chance visitors were enumerated it would swell the numbers to surprising proportions.

—The funeral of Mrs. Caroline Grover of Eliot street occurred at 2 o'clock, Monday afternoon. Rev. Geo. G. Phipps of Newton Highlands officiated, speaking of her long residence among us, and the many tender

ties which bound her to her friends here. A quartet composed of Miss Newell, Mrs. Gould, Mr. Threlfall and Mr. Hopkins rendered very touching "Gathering Home," and "He Leadeth Me." Mrs. Grover was at the advanced age of 85 years, and had been an active church member until her health failed, for 65 years. The remains were taken to her native place, Foxboro, where services were held and then taken to the cemetery.

—The Committee on Public Property invite proposals for the construction of a two-story wooden building to be used for school purposes, to be erected at Waban.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of H. H. Kendall, architect, No. 8 Oliver street, Boston.

Proposals to be addressed to the Committee on Public Property, and deposited in the office of City Auditor, City Hall, on or before Monday, August 11, 5 o'clock p. m.

The committee reserve the right to reject any and all bids. LEWIS E. COFFIN, 412 Chairman Committee on Public Property

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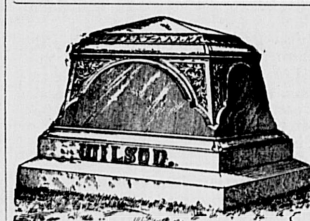
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NEWTON.

—Miss Hattie Carsey is at New London, N. H.

—Miss Ella Carter is at Beachmont for a few weeks.

—Mr. C. J. Bailey and family are at Wintthrop Highlands.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Allison left this week for Ludlow, Vt.

—Miss Alice Lancaster has gone to Kennebunkport, Me.

—Mr. E. L. Bacon is at Horse Neck Beach, Buzzards Bay.

—Mr. A. R. Bailey and family have returned from Wintthrop.

—Mr. F. G. Kimball is at the Jocelyn House, Prout's Neck, Me.

—Mrs. M. T. Goddard is at the Wachusett House, Mt. Wachusett.

—Mrs. S. W. Kendall, Jr., is at the Seaview house, Kennebunkport.

—Mr. G. B. Ellenwood and family have gone to East Windham, N. Y.

—Mrs. Gould of Wesley street is at the Grampian House, Savin Hill.

—Miss Mary C. Perry is at Wolfboro, N. H., until the first of October.

—Mr. Geo. F. Hitchings and family are at the Owl Cottage, Pt. Shirley.

—Post 62, G. A. R., expects to turn out 125 men for next Tuesday's parade.

—Rev. H. G. Spaulding was at Sanborn's Hotel, The Weirs, N. H., last week.

—Mr. J. H. Stonemetz is registered at the Brant Rock House, Brant Rock.

—Mr. A. C. Walworth and family are spending this week at Swampscott.

—Mr. James W. French and family will spend August at Falmouth Heights.

—Mrs. George Sawin and Miss Alice are at the Brigham Hotel, Lisbon, N. H.

—Mr. G. W. Crosby and family are at the Jackson Falls House, Jackson, N. H.

—Mrs. L. M. Cobb has returned from Middleboro and is at Mrs. Frankland's.

—Rev. F. B. Hornbrooke and family are at Bethel, Me., for the month of August.

—Mr. A. D. Stevenson and family will enjoy a six weeks vacation at Tideout, Penn.

—Mr. Moses R. Emerson and family have been spending the summer at Newport, N. H.

—Mr. Alonzo R. Weed, son of Mr. A. S. Weed, has been admitted to the Suffolk bar.

—Mrs. W. H. Brackett and Ralph Brackett are spending the summer at Sea View.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Bacon are registered at the Aquidneck, Marblehead Neck.

—Rev. F. B. Hornbrooke and family will spend the month of August in Bridgton, Me.

—Miss Madge Neal was registered last week at the Kearsarge House, North Conway.

—Mrs. I. T. Burns is enjoying a six weeks vacation among her friends in St. John, N. B.

—Connellman Esterbrook and family are enjoying their vacation at Marblehead Neck.

—Mr. W. H. Holbrook and family have taken a cottage at Kennerly, Hull, for the season.

—Miss C. L. Shirley was registered at the Crawford House, White Mountains, on Friday.

—Mr. R. F. Cummings and family have returned from their visit at Wollaston Heights.

—Miss Edith McKeown is at Westboro, and Miss Annie is at the Grampian House, Savin Hill.

—Miss Ducklee of the Newton Savings Bank is spending her vacation at Peak's Island, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brigham and child were at the Summit House, Mt. Washington, Friday noon.

—Rev. A. P. Putnam, D. D., of Concord, Mass., will preach at Channing church next Sunday morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. George H. Williams and Fred Williams are visiting Mr. Chester Snow at Harwichport.

—Miss Mamie Solis was last week the guest of Mrs. George Hall at her summer residence in Swampscott.

—Messrs. James A. Grace, Joseph Downs and Joseph Batchelder are away visiting friends in St. John, N. B.

—Mr. R. L. Day and family are at their son's residence in Waban street during the latter's absence in Europe.

—Miss Annie Moran and Miss Katie and Maggie Nolan are enjoying a few weeks vacation in Newport, R. I.

—Miss Margaret A. Saltonstall and Mrs. Geo. S. Bullens registered at Hotel Green Acre, Eliot, Me., last week.

—Mr. W. H. Brackett and family have returned from their two weeks stay at Hotel Hunnrock, Setonate.

—Mr. T. W. Trowbridge, of Aban, Trowbridge & Co., is enjoying the sea breezes at Cottage City for two weeks.

—Mr. Frank M. Elms, Miss Mabel W. Mason and Mrs. David H. Mason are at the Cotechet House, Wianno.

—Rev. Mr. Merrill of the Baptist church preached on Sunday in the Old Cambridge Baptist church, Cambridge.

—Mr. J. Wallace Goodrich is at the Hotel Preston, Beach Bluff, with his friend, Mr. Novell of Boston.

—Mr. William P. Ross and Miss Henrietta Chugan, both of Rockland, were married by Rev. W. A. Lamb on Wednesday.

—Mr. M. P. Springer, of the firm of Springer Brothers, is now in Europe looking after the latest novelties in cloaks.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hamblin with Mrs. O. F. Hamblin and family are spending their vacation at Ypsilanti Cottage, Wintthrop Beach.

—The household furniture of Miss Allen, 29 Vernon street, will be sold at auction by Elliott J. Hyde next Monday, at 9.30 a. m., at the house.

—The street cars between Newton and West Newton did not run this morning as the new boilers at the power station are being connected.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Converse having been spending a few weeks at Jackson, N. H., will later in the season locate at Hotel Preston, Beach Bluffs.

—Two large loads of Newton people drove to Oakland Gardens Wednesday night to see the Fall of Babylon, which still retains its popularity.

—W. H. Partridge, Esq., leads the Y. M. C. A. service at 4 p. m. Sunday next, Eliot Lower Hall. The "chick talk" by Seymour Eaton last week was most interesting.

—Miss Maria Brackett will return on Saturday from her two weeks sojourn at Lyndebo, N. H. She had in company with her, her friend Miss Sharp of Brooklyn.

—Mr. R. U. Wadleigh of Buena Vista, Ark., is in Newton visiting Mr. Gardiner Wadleigh of Walnut street. Miss J. W. Wadleigh of Chicago is expected soon for a visit.

—Mr. W. A. Wetherbee, department inspector of the Department of Massachusetts, G. A. R., will command the third subdivision of the state veterans next Tuesday.

—Mrs. Professor Gould and children of Michigan, Mrs. Elsie Blaisdell and Miss Anna Breed McKeown, daughters of Rev. Dr. McKeown, are stopping at the Grampian House, Savin Hill.

—Wednesday evening several people in this city saw a bright meteor flash across the heavens, and the telegraph reports stated that a brilliant meteor fell in Keene, N. H., and it was seen in other places.

—The Newton C. L. S. C. enjoyed a moonlight trip to Nantasket last week. Several members of the circle were with the large party of Newtonians who saw the Fall of Babylon on Wednesday Evening.

—We notice in the Christian Union for July 31st, an article entitled "A Word to High School Girls," by Miss Emily J. Richardson, a Newton young lady, and a recent graduate from Miss Spears' school.

—Cashier B. F. Bacon of the First National Bank, returned from his three weeks vacation, which he spent in Magnolia with friends, and enjoying the almost perfect freedom from care and the cool healthy breezes.

—Mr. E. H. Cutler of Franklin street has recently arrived in Europe, where he has been for the benefit of his health, which he finds very much restored. His wife, child and nurse are now at Hotel Chatham, Mass.

—The attendance at the Methodist church has been good during the last week. Many of the congregation being in weather. On the 2nd page will be found an abstract of Rev. Dr. McKeown's very interesting sermon last Sabbath evening.

—Rev. Washington Choate of Greenock, N. Y., gave two learned discourses in Eliot church, last Sunday. The reverend gentleman is a very pleasant speaker.

—Next Sunday Rev. J. L. Jenkins of Pittsfield, Mass., will preach morning and evening.

—Mr. Geo. Linder, Jr., is home from his ranch in the New State of Washington, for a brief visit, and is enthusiastic over the resources of that country, which contains some of the finest timber land in the world and has a model climate.

—The undersigned agree to close their places of business, Tuesday, Aug. 13th, at day: Howard B. Coffin, G. P. Atkins, J. Henry Bacon, W. B. Whittier, S. O. Thayer & Co., C. O. Tucker & Co., W. H. Barber Bros., W. H. Brackett, W. B. Buntling, J. W. McCann, M. B. V. Paine, A. L. Rhody, John S. Sumner, H. B. & S. E. Parker, A. J. Gordon.

—James Kivell, son of Michael Kivell of Middle street, attended the muster at Framingham two weeks ago, with other members of the company. He started home with them but had not money enough to pay his fare the whole distance. He has not yet returned, and nothing is known of his whereabouts. His friends are anxious about him and who glad to receive any information. See business notices.

—As evidence of the independence of a class of people who are generally considered as dependants, we noticed the other day a "grinder" of an organette, who, putting out his hand to the passer by made the remark "Give me 5 cents, please."

—He did not get. It ought to take a good lot of "grinding" in that style to secure any considerable sum of money. But later on we saw the same man as before, receiving information. See business notices.

—Mr. George W. Crosby, who has been stopping at the Parker House, Kennebunkport, N. H., on Wednesday, Aug. 7th, and his son, Mr. John Crosby, will accompany her to the Jackson Hill House in the White Mountains for August.

—Mr. John Crosby will return to Parker's for the first week in September before entering Harvard. Mrs. Crosby, who is well known in Newton from her success in firing china in her private kiln, has been making some exquisite designs in water-color from the sea, mosses and shells found at Kennebunk, for a fish set.—Society Paper.

—Mr. Johnnot showed to a few gentlemen who called into his place the working of the new device for protecting telephone wires from lightning. It is claimed to prevent fires from electric wires, etc. A peculiar phenomena to those present was the beautiful blue light shown in the incandescent burner when the current was turned off. Inquiries of electricians showed that it was what is called the static charge, and resulted from a moist condition of the atmosphere and the ground connection. The latter was the result of a heavy rain, and a damp floor upon which he stood, for when a dry board was put under the operator the glowing ceased.

—Aban, Trowbridge & Co. are opening up some fine house lots on the north side of Webster street, opposite Crescent, West Newton. They have sold three lots to N. H. Hunt, who will build at once. Mr. McNeal takes three lots and has one house well under way. Mr. Gannon takes three lots and is to put up two houses. They have rented one of the beautiful new apartments of Curtis Abbott off Walnut street, Newtonville, to Mr. Chas. V. Lowell of the Plain Camera Co., Boston; also the Kendall house, corner Thornton and Waban streets, to Mrs. L. S. Warren; also house in Trowbridge court to Officer Richard T. Taft; one house on Court to George Farrar; also No. 31 Bennington street to W. C. Woodward of Boston.

NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY.

FIELD DAY TO NEWPORT.

The next "Field Day" of this society is planned for Newport, R. I., Tuesday, Aug. 26, on the 8.30 train Tuesday morning by the Old Colony R. R. and arrive in Newport at 11.15. Those who desire will have ample opportunity to take the long beautiful ocean drive about ten miles—and then have two or three hours for sight-seeing, the cliff walk, beaches, etc.

The party will leave Newport to return at 3.15 p. m. and will be in Boston at 7.55. Lunch should be taken. All are cordially invited to accompany the society on this excursion.

The expense of the round trip tickets will be \$2.50. For further particulars apply to Dr. J. F. Frisbie corner of Center and Church street.

Fish and Game.

Several Newton gentlemen are members of and interested in the Inglewood Fish and Game corporation. Mr. Andrew S. March being the vice president. This company controls 35,000 acres of land in New Brunswick, covering twenty lakes with connecting streams, now well stocked with land-locked salmon and brook trout. Last June 40,000 young sea salmon from the government hatchery at Grand Falls, N. B., were turned into the waters. During the past season over 2500 salmon and trout were taken by members and invited guests. The party from Newton as noted last week, go there for a month's sojourn, and other parties are also going, and are sport is enjoyed by them in fishing and in hunting, for game also abound in these wilds, which for the most part are just as Nature left them, with dense growth of timber and bush.

Presentation to Charles Ward Post.

At a special meeting of Charles Ward Post 62, G. A. R., held in Grand Army Hall, Newtonville, last evening, its members were given a very pleasant surprise in the shape of a letter from Councilman Edward L. Collins, accompanying the gift of individual souvenir badges to be worn by members of the post during the parade in Boston on Tuesday next. The letter is appended:

West Newton, Aug. 5, 1890.

Commander S. S. Whitney:

My Dear Sir:—It occurred to me that I should be very glad to make the following offer in connection with the parade of the members of your post: To subscribe to Charles Ward Post the sum of one hundred dollars, the same to be expended on souvenir badges, the number to be determined by the organization having that matter in charge and the balance of the money, if any there be, to be turned over to the post fund. To this end you have my check for the amount.

I make this offer for the reason that since my more intimate association with your post I have learned to put a higher estimate on the whole Grand Army of the Republic; and attached to a shield, appear the words: "Charles Ward Post 62, Newton, Mass."

Councilman Collins was present, and, following the reading of the letter, was introduced by Commander Whitney. He spoke briefly, alluding to his father's record as a Grand Army boy and his instructions to him never to forget the men who gave their lives and patriotic services in the interest of their towns and cities, the states and the nation. At the conclusion of his remarks he was greeted with three hearty cheers. Commander Whitney, in behalf of the post, expressed his appreciation of the gift. The badges cost in the vicinity of \$100.

Charles Ward Post 62, G. A. R.

Commander Whitney has issued the following order to the comrades of the Post for the parade next Tuesday:

In compliance with General Orders No. 6 from Department Headquarters, you are hereby ordered to report at Post Hall, Newtonville, Tuesday, Aug. 12th, 8 o'clock a. m., sharp, for duty in Grand Army uniforms. Full uniform, linen collar, white gloves.

Post will take 8.24 train from Newtonville and disembark at Huntington Ave., Boston, and at once march to the Common, Charles Street Mall, take position assigned, and await orders.

The parade will be a Battalion. Right wing under command of Senior Vice-Commander Streetland. Left wing under command of Junior Vice-Commander Ranellet.

Chiefs of Platoons are assigned as follows and will be obeyed and respected accordingly: 1st Platoon, Officer of the Day S. A. Langley; 2nd, Comrade A. M. Ferris; 3rd, Comrade C. H. Abbott; 4th, Officer of the Guard C. A. Twitcheil, (company company); 5th, Comrade I. F. Kingsbury; 6th, Comrade J. A. Kenrick; 7th, Comrade H. Carter. Other details will be made as necessary.

The body of the parade is expected to parade.

The Post will provide a barge for disabled comrades, leaving West Newton, Cat's stable, at 8 a. m. sharp; Newtonville, 8.10; Newton, 8.20. Upon arrival at Boston comrades in charge will report to the officer in charge of Barge Division, Beacon street, cor. Arlington. Barges will be assigned on the left of G. A. R.

The Crescent Band of Waltham will furnish music for the Post.

The command will move by column of platoons of twelve files front, single rank with arms, and will be ordered, ordered, or to pass obstacles, will retain this formation throughout the parade, preserving half wheeling distance. Comrades in the ranks must be cautioned not to salute while marching. The salutes will be given by officers, band, drum corps and colors.

Post 62 will be in second Sub-Division, Post 61 of Webster in front, and Post 63 of Natick in rear.

Lunch will be provided prior to the march.

The Department Commander requests corps badges to be worn on hats.

Why not Mr. Walworth?

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC:

I was much interested in Mr. Arthur C. Walworth's letter in the last GRAPHIC, in favor of Mr. W. S. Slocum for the Senate, but all that can be said for Mr. Slocum can be said with greater force for Mr. Walworth.

He made an excellent record in the house, he was on the right side of important questions, and but for the usual unhappy division among Newton delegates he would have been chosen Senator.

One of the great questions in selecting men for either branch of our General Court, is that of corporation influence. The great question of the day is how to resist the encroachments of railroads and other corporations. Before sending any man to the Senate, it should first be ascertained whether he will represent the Boston & Albany railroad, the West End Company, or the people of the state. It is a time when strong men are needed, and before nominating any man his position on this question should be ascertained. Possibly the Boston & Albany Railroad and West End have now obtained all that they desire, but it is wiser to be on the safe side.

TAXPAYER.

Mr. Slocum Declines.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC.

My attention has been called to the mention of my name in your paper last week for senator.

I am aware that it would be a great honor to be elected a member of the Massachusetts Senate, but my duties, professional and otherwise, will not permit me to be a candidate, and I must decline to allow my name to be used for that purpose.

Permit me to use the columns of your paper to communicate my decision to those who may be interested.

Yours truly,

WYFIELD S. SLOCUM.

Newtonville, Aug. 7, 1890.

NEWTON'S VALUATION.

THE RATE DECREASED—PERSONAL AND REAL ESTATE INCREASED.

The Newton assessors completed their labors Tuesday afternoon, and the rate for the year 1890 has been fixed at \$14.60, as against \$14.80 in 1889. The rate is very satisfactory to citizens generally, especially in view of heavy expenditures during the past year. The largest gain in real estate was in Ward 4, and the largest gain in personal property in Ward 6. In Ward 4, the personal property fell off somewhat from the figures of the preceding year. A study of the figures would seem to indicate that Wards 2 and 3 are growing rapidly, there being large accessions to the taxable property largely represented in new building enterprises. Ward 3, however, can claim first place for the largest net increase in real and personal estate, the gain amounting to \$388,000. The appended table shows how the real estate and personal property are divided among the several wards:

Wards.	Real Est.	Per. Est.	Total Value.
1.	\$2,944,270	\$1,056,615	\$4,000,885
2.	4,374,600	908,150	5,282,750
3.	4,983,225	1,194,200	6,177,425
4.	3,188,850	986,650	4,175,500
5.	2,713,575	475,115	3,188,690
6.	5,087,300	2,618,155	7,705,455
7.	4,168,700	2,267,010	6,435,710
Totals.	\$26,421,200	\$9,592,025	\$36,013,225

The total valuation is \$36,123,225, an increase of \$1,468,553 over the preceding year. The gain in real estate by Wards is as follows: Ward 1, \$120,000; Ward 2, \$227,050; Ward 3, \$311,700; Ward 4, \$118,525; Ward 5, \$161,700; Ward 6, \$189,925; Ward 7, \$102,000; total, \$1,230,900. The gain in personal property by Wards is as follows: Ward 1, \$55,478; Ward 2, \$20,300; Ward 3, \$26,900; Ward 5, \$16,030; Ward 6, \$100,785; Ward 7, \$67,780; total, \$269,900. In Ward 4 there was a loss in personal property of \$31,350, making the net total increase \$237,953. The total number of polls is 6564, an increase of 379 over the year 1889.

Street Railway Earnings.

There has been a good deal of curiosity as to whether a street railway in Newton would pay expenses, and the following figures of the earnings of one motor car, running hourly between Newton and West Newton, for the week ending August 2nd, will perhaps throw some light on the question:

\$221,050; Ward 3, \$311,705; Ward 4, \$118,525; Ward 5, \$161,700; Ward 6, \$189,925; Ward 7, \$102,000; total, \$1,230,900. The gain in personal property for Wards is as follows: Ward 1, \$25,478; Ward 2, \$29,030; Ward 3, \$26,000; Ward 5, \$16,030; Ward 6, \$100,785; Ward 7, \$67,785; total, \$269,093. In Ward 4 there was a loss in personal property of \$31,250, making the net total increase \$237,653. The total number of polls is 6564, an increase of 379 over the year 1889.

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THE NEWTON GRAPHIC HAS BEEN CONSOLIDATED WITH THE GRAPHIC

STILL AFTER INFORMATION.

The Milford Journal is started by the appeal of the Pennsylvania ready made clothing manufacturers for more protection, and their statement that Englishmen can import clothing to this country at 25 per cent profit and still undersell American clothing by 20 per cent. The Journal does not know what to do about the matter, and it consequently applies to the GRAPHIC for advice, as it usually does when it is in trouble, and it wants to know if the GRAPHIC would recommend that ready made clothing be put on the free list, "to the total extinction of the clothing manufacturing industry in this country."

Perhaps the Journal would have got more reliable advice if it had applied to Secretary Blaine, or Senator Plumb, or even to the New York Tribune, as all these authorities seem to have been converted to the "free trade" heresy, and have been rather outspoken in their opinions of late.

However, for the sake of relieving our anxious contemporary, we will try to give it a fair answer. There are in this country some sixty odd millions, of whom probably one half are men and wear clothing. Of these thirty odd millions perhaps twenty-nine million wear ready made clothing. Grant for the sake of the argument that there are half a million persons employed by the clothing manufacturers, which is a liberal estimate. Then these 29,500,000 pay \$1.42 for every dollar's worth of clothing, in order that these half million persons can work at the clothing business. If the extra forty-five cents on every dollar's worth of clothing goes to the employees, perhaps out of charity the 29,500,000 might be willing to help them by paying the tax, but if it goes into the pockets of these Pennsylvania clothing manufacturers, then the conditions are changed, and some people might be so unreasonable as to object.

We do not suppose that the clothing manufacturers are so badly off as they pretend, as they could probably get along under the present tax and still make money, although perhaps more slowly than Mr. Carnegie. But if they are in such a desperate condition, it would seem to be evident that this infant industry will never be able to stand alone, and we might as well give up the expensive habit of nursing it. The employees could get better pay in some other industry and the manufacturers themselves have probably already made enough money to be able to live on the interest in a modest way. An industry that can not live after so many years of protection, without having the protection doubled, had better be given up. As Mr. Blaine would say, it would be wiser to make a bargain with England, by which they would buy our wheat and corn, and other things that we produce in excess of the demand, and we would take their clothing in return and save one third of the cost of our clothes.

CITY POLITICS.

In spite of the hot weather there is already considerable talk in regard to local politics, and the chief interest centres around the nomination for Mayor. There is no doubt but that the Citizens' organization, which made such a splendid fight last year, will be again in the field, with Mr. Hibbard as their candidate, if he will consent to run, and many Republicans think that it would be just as well to make the nomination unanimous, as Mr. Hibbard is a good Republican and the Citizens' party is made up of all classes. There are others, however, who believe that a distinct Republican nomination should be made, and they favor choosing some one identified with the present city government. Among the names mentioned are Aldermen Pettie, Johnson and Harbach, and President Hyde of the Common Council. It would certainly add to the fun to have two candidates in the field, and Newton people are fond of having some excitement in a local election, and a good-natured contest over the chief office, at any rate. It is rather early yet to predict what action will be taken, but the leaders on both sides are wide awake and when the weather is not too warm, one can here the question discussed on the trains with a good deal of interest. Many of the talkers seem to think that it would be a good time this year, to send a new man, especially such an energetic citizen as Mr. Hibbard, and see what result that would have on city affairs.

MR. SLOCUM DECLINES.

Mr. W. S. Slocum does not desire to be considered a candidate for the Senate, and in a letter in another

column says that his professional and other duties would not allow of his accepting the position. Another correspondent, who read Mr. Walworth's letter last week, pertinently asks why not nominate Mr. Walworth, as all that could be said in favor of Mr. Slocum can be said with equal force in favor of Mr. Walworth. In his term in the house he represented the people and not any of the corporations, and as a business man and a man of property he would not be susceptible to corporation influence.

The Senate is the first battle ground for all great corporation schemes and nominations to that body should be made with great care and only the strongest men chosen. Petty local rivalries should be lost sight of in the face of such an issue, and Newton should set the example by combining on the strongest man. It does not appear that any mistake would be made if the Newton delegates united in favor of Mr. Walworth, who would have received the nomination the last time there was a vacancy had it not been for the presence of so many Newton candidates in the field.

The columns of the Milford Journal are probably not very good places to seek reliable news about the purposes of the Democratic party, but it asserts that there is a movement on foot to nominate Mr. George Fred Williams as the Democratic candidate for Congress from this district. It says also that the "old fashioned" Democrats have determined that no one but a "simon pure" Democrat need apply and "in the same breath they speak contemptuously of the Newton 'independent' contingent, with gold-bowed spectacles and velvet slippers, and declare that the party has deferred to this element long enough." This may or may not be true, but the "old fashioned" Democrats are not this spring's chickens, and know that without the independent vote they would have no hope of carrying this district. The remark about the Newton independents sounds too much like the Milford Journal to have ever originated anywhere else, as it has a holy horror of anything coming from Newton, and it would probably support even George Fred Williams rather than any Newton Republican. If the Democrats want a simon pure man, there is ex-Collector Saltonstall, one of the best men in the state, and who would draw all the independent support. As a Newton man, too, he would probably receive a rousing majority here, and would give Mr. Candler a very close run throughout the district. In fact Newton could furnish both parties with first-class candidates, men who if elected would make their influence felt at Washington. This year, however, Mr. Candler will be the Republican candidate, although both parties always find it unlucky in the Ninth District to put up a man for a second term.

The story that the Tariff Reform Club of New York city had made an alliance with Tammany delighted the Boston Journal, which is ready to believe anything of Tariff Reformers, but unfortunately for the Journal it was not true, although people who read only the Journal will have hard work to find it out. It is just as well to tell the truth, and it is only justice to say that the Tariff Reformers are not trading politicians.

SENATOR DAWES voted for Massachusetts, together with Senators Ingalls, Paddock and Plumb, to reduce the duty on iron ore from 75 cents a ton as fixed in the McKinley bill, to 60 cents a ton. The appeals of Governor Ames and all the other iron manufacturers of the state had some influence with the senior senator of the state.

TAX payers will be glad to see that the tax rate will be lower than last year, in spite of all the extra expenses of the year, and the low rate is a proof of careful management of the city's finances.

THE City Hall will be closed next Tuesday, out of respect for the Grand Army, and the flags will be displayed on the public buildings of the city.

St. Bernards, 11; Newtons, 5.

The St. Bernards, champions of the Massachusetts Literary League defeated the Newton B. B. A. nine in a rather uninteresting game last Saturday afternoon on the Watertown street grounds. The attendance was not large, but those present were quite enthusiastic, especially the friends of the victorious team. At the conclusion of the game one of the spectators said: "Well, the St. Bernards have beaten the uniforms of the Newton B. B. A. nine." This statement is not strictly true, but the vanquished ball tossing organization was in bad shape, being without the services of its pitcher, Elmer Bent, and further handicapped by the absence of three of the best players in the team. Lyons started in to pitch for the Newtons and made sorry work of it, the opposing batsmen cracking him safely, apparently without especial effort. In the fifth inning, Hunting went into the box, and although not in condition to pitch, owing to the recent breaking of a ligament in his side, was not hit so freely and succeeded in a measure in stopping what had previously proved to be a sort of batting picnic. Keegan finally relieved Hunting, filling the box during the ninth inning. The fielding of the defeated nine was poor, that has been seen on the home grounds this season, the men being rather demoralized by the work of Lyons in the box. At the bat, they showed up in better shape, but were unable to hit Gaw safely at critical moments when a hit meant one or two runs. Several long flies were knocked into the outfield, but were captured by fine fielding on the part of the St. Bernards, one difficult long hit being caught close to the fence. Umpire Lester proved a Jonah rather than a mascot and his decisions robbed the Newtons of one run at least and also a safe hit which he construed into a foul. The position of an umpire, however, is no sinecure, and it would not be fair to impute Mr. Lester's motives, as

he undoubtedly acted conscientiously in rendering his decisions.

The St. Bernards played a most creditable game and put in some heavy work with the stick. Gaw proved a puzzler for the opposing batsmen and struck out seven men. Six hits with a total of ten were made off his delivery. He was finely supported by Dunn who gave an excellent exhibition of back-swing work and threw well to bases. The St. Bernards played winning ball and the players certainly form a strong aggregation. The writer believes, however, that with Bent in the box and the usual players in the field that the Newton B. B. A. nine would prove worthy opponents of their metal and that a most interesting game would result. The score:

Innings..... 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
St. Bernards..... 1 0 7 0 2 1 0 0 0
Newtons B. B. A. 3 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—11
Umpires, Lester and Hunting.

MARRIED.

MARTIN-ABBOTT-At Newtonville, Aug. 6, by Rev. W. Taylor, George H. Martin of Waltham and Alice M. Abbott of Newton.

EVERETT-SAT-At Portney, Me., Aug. 4, by Rev. Henry Blanchard, Lewis P. Everett, Newton, and Adelaide L. Sawyer, Portland.

KELLY-KENNEDY-At West Newton, July 31, by Rev. J. A. Barrett, James Kelly and Mary Kennedy.

VINE-MAGUIRE-At Newton, Aug. 5, by Rev. J. F. Gilfether, James Vine and Susan E. Maguire.

DIED.

HILLS-At Newtonville, July 30, Elizabeth A. Hills, 39 years, 5 months, 27 days.

CARTER-At Newtonville, Aug. 1, Edith Margaret Carter, 21 years.

FLUMMER-At Andover, Aug. 1, William E. Flummer, 55 years, 4 months.

BURNS-At Newton Centre, Aug. 3, Alice Mand, daughter of John and Margaret Burns, 11 months, 7 days.

BUSINESS NOTICES

WANTED-A competent nurse girl to care for a baby ten months old. Apply to Mrs. H. I. Ordway, Gibbs St., Newton Centre. 41

WANTED-Information as to the whereabouts of James Kivel, who went to the muster at Framingham two weeks ago and has not returned. Any one knowing where he is will please communicate with his father, Michael Kivel, Middle St., Newton. 41

WANTED-An apprentice to learn dress-making. Shall be faithfully taught. Address Dressmaker, Graphic office. 41

WANTED WITH BOARD-Two or three unfurnished rooms in desirable house and location, for a single occupant. Address Box 454 Newtonville. 41

LOST-From carriage Sunday afternoon, July 27th, between West Newton and Weston or in Weston, a dark spring overcoat. Finder will please leave same at Wright's drug store, West Newton. 41

TO LET-To a small family, in exchange for board, the bulk of large house in fine neighborhood, furnished if desired. Address Box 123, Newtonville. 41

FOR SALE-Three very handsome black cocker spaniel puppies out of Champion Ohio 411. Address G. L. V. Tyler, West Newton. 42

TO LET-Tenements in Newtonville, rent from \$8 to \$12 per month. D. P. O'Sullivan, Cabot St., Telephone 333 Newtonville. 41

TO LET-A nice dwelling house on Eddy St. in Newtonville by the subscriber who lives on the premises and will show it to any needing a good house. Wm. Leonard. 41

LAUNDRY-Ladies, gentlemen or family washings neatly and promptly done at Ponnie W. Foster's, Adams street, Newton. Lace curtains and white dresses a specialty. All orders and parcels attended to at once. 40

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MONDAY, Aug. 11 inst.

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CITY OF NEWTON.

West Newton, Mass., July 15, 1890.

The Committee on Public Property

Invite proposals for the construction of a two-story wooden building to be used for school purposes, to be erected at Waban.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of H. H. Kendall, architect, No. 8 Oliver street, Boston.

Proposals to be addressed to the Committee on Public Property, and deposited in the office of City Auditor, City Hall, on or before Monday, August 11, 5 o'clock p. m.

The committee reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

LEWIS E. COFFIN, 412 Chairman Committee on Public Property

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—Miss Mabel Wilbur is at Pigeon Cove, Gloucester.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Macomber are at Windsor, Vt.

—Mr. R. Wilson left here this week for Newport, R. I.

—Charles Ranlett has returned home from Billerica.

—Miss Fannie Leavitt has returned from New Hampshire.

—Miss Fannie Page is spending her vacation in Hartford, Vt.

—Mrs. Samuel Tilton is at the Seaview House, Haverhill.

—E. W. Hodgson and family returned from Portland, Me., Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Hill and family left here Tuesday for Bar Harbor.

—Mr. J. C. McIntire and family are at the Lincoln House, Swampscott.

—Mrs. Henry A. Wheeler is stopping at Story's Hotel, The Weirs, N. H.

—John Payne has taken the agency for Saratoga Springs Spring water.

—Mr. W. F. Osborn, Austin street, spent Sunday with friends at Nantasket.

—Dr. and Mrs. Hopkins are enjoying a two weeks' visit in New York City.

—Mrs. William Hawley and family returned this week from the seashore.

—Miss E. Webster of Nevada street is enjoying her vacation at Nantasket.

—Mrs. J. F. Curtis and family are at Mt. Pleasant, for their summer vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Beals are stopping at the Standish House, Duxbury.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Chalmers are summering at Meredith Village, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mansfield, Crafts street, have returned from the seashore.

—Albert Carter and two of his classmates are at Squam Lake, N. H., camping out.

—Mr. H. F. Ross is building a new house for Mr. George Kimball on Spruce street.

—Mr. J. P. Lewis of Lowell street has gone to Laconia, N. H., on a vacation trip.

—Postmaster Turner is enjoying a needed rest at Laconia, N. H. He returns Monday.

—Mr. Henry P. Dearborn passed Sunday at Provincetown, returning home Monday.

—Mrs. C. E. Adams of Grove Hill Park, who has been quite ill, is now convalescing.

—Rev. Pleasant Hunter, Jr., of Newark, N. J., was in town last Saturday on business.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elbridge Bradshaw have returned from White Horse Beach, Plymouth.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Harris, Crafts street, are enjoying their vacation in Maine.

—C. A. Purdy and family left here today for Gloucester, where they have hired a cottage.

—Ex Alderman Chadwick and wife return home this week from their visit in Vermont.

—Mr. E. M. Rumery and family are among the summer vacationists at North Conway.

—Mr. Andrew Washburn and family are visiting relatives and friends in Halifax and vicinity.

—Mr. O. F. Clark and family have gone to Contoosick, N. H., where they will spend their vacation.

—Messrs. Higgins & Nickerson are building a new house for Mr. G. F. Paul on Lathrop street.

—Rev. and Mrs. R. A. White have gone to Wachusett where they spend a portion of their vacation.

—Fred Leavitt has collected 850 votes in the sword contest, but has not yet made his choice of candidate.

—Miss Addie Brooks left here Tuesday for Beantown, where she will spend a part of her vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Diamond go to Nantasket Saturday, where they will stop for two or three weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dennison have gone to Bangor, Me., where they make a three or four weeks' stay.

—Mr. William E. Dearborn, Jr., and family, Lowell street, are spending their vacation at Dover, N. H.

—George M. Bridges has returned from Ft. Point, Stockton, Me., where he has been spending his vacation.

—Mr. J. B. Cornish and family left here this week for Central Cape Cod, where they will pass their vacation.

—Mr. Henry B. Chamberlain, Court street, left here this week on an extended business trip through the west.

—F. H. Humphrey has completed the plumbing and gas piping in the new school house, which is nearly finished.

—Charles Tappin has been appointed bath house officer and has charge of the new bath house at Bullough's pond.

—W. D. Trickey, formerly with T. Metcalf & Co., Boston, has been engaged as assistant clerk in Payne's pharmacy.

—Miss Melissa Abbott, Bowers street, will spend a portion of her vacation in Vermont, whither she went Monday.

—The 515 outward bound express was delayed here 10 minutes Tuesday afternoon, owing to trouble with the air brakes.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Sylvester, Linwood avenue, have returned from Ft. Allen, Me., where they have been spending their vacation.

—Mr. John T. Pulsifer, bookkeeper for Mr. A. A. Savage, left Tuesday for Auburn, Me., where he will spend a portion of his vacation at Poland.

—Rev. C. Elwood Nash occupied the pulpit in the Universalist church last Sunday and was cordially greeted by many of his former parishioners.

—Mr. W. S. Mendell is spending his vacation at Kennebunkport, Me., where some of his Boston friends are summering, and at Bar Harbor, Mount Desert.

—Gracie Brown of Austin street, 7 years old, is spending her vacation at South Hampton, N. H. Recently she went out fishing and caught 6 fine perch.

—Capt. C. E. Davis was a guest Tuesday of the Boston Shoe & Leather Association and accompanied a jolly party on a pleasant trip to Rocky Point and Newport.

—Rev. R. A. White spoke before the Universalist convention at Weirs, N. H., on Wednesday and some of his parishioners had the pleasure of listening to him.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Sullivan start for Bradford, N. H., Monday, where they will remain for four weeks. Mr. Frank L. Tainter will take charge during Mr. Sullivan's absence.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mendell have returned from Nantucket, having had a very pleasant time looking about the quaint old town, visiting the light house and taking the drive to Surf Side and Seaside.

—Mr. Elihu Smead is here on a visit from his ranch in California. During his passage to the east he traveled 1000 miles alone in a Pullman. His many friends here have accorded him a hearty welcome.

—A meeting of the Newton Firemen's Relief Association was held at the truck house Wednesday evening. A meeting of the trustees will be held this evening to adjust the claim of an injured fireman.

—Mr. George T. Coppins entertained a company of his business associates at the clubhouse, Wednesday afternoon. Covers were laid for ten and a good dinner was taken of, served in good style by Steward Welch.

—A jolly company of Red Men went to Dover in Hunting's 2-horse wagon, Wednesday, leaving town early in the morning and returning about 9.30 in the evening. The boys had a grand good time and enjoyed a home-made clam bake, which proved a delectable dish. The fish nibbled during the

day, making good sport for the anglers in the party. Among those from Newtonville were Edward Dexter, Walter Cunningham, George Cook, Frank Hunting, C. H. Tainter, J. G. Kilburn and Robert Hill.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers are at Meredith, N. H., with a family party from Boston, Fall River and Cambridge; boating, sketching and fishing, while the exploration of the beauties of Lake Winnepesaukee fill the days.

—Mr. W. F. Hartshorn is building a new house on Cabot street, where also a new dwelling is being erected by Mr. P. C. Bridgman. The contract for the former was awarded to Frank Joyall; the latter to Hersey Brothers.

—The monthly meeting of the Co-operative Bank was held Tuesday evening. The following sums were sold: \$1000 25 cents premium; \$1000 at 20 cents; \$2000 at 15 cents. There was a lively demand for money. A new series will be opened Monday, Sept. 1.

—A party of Newtonville people have engaged a small hotel at Breezy Point, N. H. Among those who left for that popular summer resort this week were Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Grant and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Kingsbury and family, and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kimball.

—If the authorities have hurried in building the bath houses owing to the remarks in the newspapers concerning the delay, a rather doubtful conclusion, the credit should be equally divided between the local papers, as both urged the completion of the work. Some newspapers, like individuals, claim the earth.

—Headlums on Sunday amused themselves by writing obscene words on the cover of a barrel in the spring on the Lyford estate. The spring is visited by numerous people on account of the valuable medicinal properties of the water, many ladies being among those who drink the water. Officer Bosworth is trying to discover the guilty parties who deserve severe punishment.

—The sad death of Mrs. C. H. Carter removes from the community a beautiful young woman who has endeared herself to a wide circle of friends. For the bereaved husband the most tender sympathy is felt in his great affliction. The funeral services were held at the late residence of the deceased, Walnut place, Sunday afternoon, and the remains were interred in the Newton cemetery.

—Samuel Hugh Adams, the colored man who rescued the Ryan boy from drowning in Melior's pond recently, has been awarded a silver medal by the Massachusetts Humane Society. Mr. S. W. Burgess, secretary of the standing committee of the society, has written a letter to Adams notifying him of the readiness of the society to intend as an acknowledgement of his courageous action.

—What is the matter with the section of street railway track opposite Mr. Hunting's? Several horses, while crossing the rails at the point named have received a shock and recently Dr. O'Donnell's dog felt the peculiar sensation, if an unmistakable howl of pain is any indication. Dr. O'Donnell dropped his horse across after witnessing his dog's experience and the animal kicked right and left for the space of a few minutes.

—A horse attached to a light phaeton occupied by Mrs. A. H. and Mrs. A. W. Marshall of Newton Highlands, ran down Walnut street, Wednesday afternoon, and was stopped by Officer Bosworth, who succeeded in turning the frightened animal into the rear of the rear of Associates' Block. The officer also recovered \$100 and a shawl which was dropped from the carriage during the hasty run down Walnut street.

—Captain H. Brown is at the Natural History Camp for boys for the month of August. This delightful camp, which affords an ideal life of happily blended study and play, is located on a bluff on the shores of Lake Umbagog. Just out of the city, it is a beautiful spot, with its own boat, boatbuilding, taxidermy, botany, trapping, swimming, base ball, tennis, etc., make the days all too short, and their white tents under the green trees close by their open playground make a pretty picture. Parents sending their boys there rest assured in the care and attention paid to physical and mental training and feel that the time spent there is especially healthful and profitable.

—Miss Alice M., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Abbott, and Mr. George H. Martin of Watertown, were married Wednesday evening at the residence of the bride's parents, Lowell street. The ceremony took place in the presence of the relatives and intimate friends, Rev. D. H. Taylor, pastor of the Central Congregational church officiating. The couple stood in the parlor, underneath an arch of ferns and clematis in the embrasure of the bay window. The mantel of the room was decorated with a variety of pink, roses and clematis. The dining room was also tastefully and prettily decorated. The bride was attired in a handsomely embroidered pearl gray traveling costume, and carried a bouquet of white roses. Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held. The couple received the usual congratulations, and were the recipients of many beautiful and costly wedding gifts. At the close of the reception Mr. and Mrs. Martin departed for Moosehead Lake, where they will pass their honeymoon. Upon their return they will reside in Watertown.

WEST NEWTON.

—Miss Gerty Barker is spending her vacation at Clifton, Mass.

—Mrs. H. O. Cole is enjoying her vacation at Lymerick, Me.

—Mr. B. F. Hallett is summering at the Ocean House, Nantucket.

—Messrs. L. M. and H. B. Faber are sojourning at Antrim, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Crawley are at the Nobussent House, Dennis.

—Miss M. C. Porter is summering at the Moosilauke, Breezy Point, N. H.

—City Messenger Wellington spent his vacation this year at Mt. Vernon.

—Mr. W. H. French has gone to Westport Harbor on his annual fishing trip.

—Mr. H. K. Burdett and family are among vacationists at Lyme, N. H.

—Officer J. J. Davis is improving, but has been quite seriously ill with malaria.

—Mr. F. W. Wise and Mr. Wm. M. Wise are at the Iyanough House, Hyannis.

—Mr. Aaron Barker is summering at the Puritan House, Great Head, Winthrop.

—Mr. Gustavus Lewis and family have removed to their new home in Waltham.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Adams of Fountain street have returned from their vacation.

—Mr. Stephen F. Cate was at the Winslow, Green Harbor, a few days last week.

—Mr. G. A. Frost and family, Highland street, left here this week for Wianno, Mass.

—Mrs. E. A. Thayer, Watertown street, is spending a few weeks at Harvard, Mass.

—Mr. F. H. Humphrey will spend Sunday at Hingham, returning Monday morning.

—Mrs. Van Duzee is spending her vacation at Southwest Harbor and Mt. Desert, Me.

—Mr. Fred A. Metcalf has gone to Kennebunkport, where he will enjoy a brief rest.

—Mrs. H. A. Gould and Miss Gould are at the Flume House, North Woodstock, N. H.

—Mr. Henry Hunt spent the Sabbath with his family at their cottage, North shore.

—The Newton B. B. A. club will play with the Attleboro at Attleboro tomorrow afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lucius G. Pratt and Miss Pratt are at the Turk's Head Inn, Rockport, Mass.

—Mrs. H. A. Inman has returned from West Sutton, where she has been spending her vacation.

—Lieut. Holman, U. S. N., was in town yesterday on a brief visit.

—Mrs. W. R. Dolbear was in Shirley this week visiting friends.

—Mrs. J. H. Nickerson and Miss Emma Nickerson, who are at Provincetown, have returned from the seashore.

—Mrs. William Goulding, Elder avenue, has returned from the seashore.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Cotting, Cherry street, has returned from a vacation trip to Yarmouth, Me.

—Mr. Edward F. Kimball returned from a delightful trip through the White Mountains yesterday.

—Mrs. F. H. Humphrey is enjoying a pleasant vacation at the Dodge farm in Bennington, Vt.

—Mrs. E. C. Burrage left here this week for Stockbridge, Mass., where she will remain for a few weeks.

—Assistant City Clerk John C. Brimblecom was a guest at Cove Cottage, Marblehead Neck, last week.

—Mr. Fred Perry, clerk at A. F. Wright's pharmacy, who has been ill with malaria, resumed his duties today.

—Mr. Daniel Hobart of Somerville is visiting his son, Mr. F. H. Hobart, at his residence on Watertown street.

—Mr. Henry Whittlesey and family leave here tomorrow for Saybrook, Ct., where they will remain for a few weeks.

—Mr. Nathaniel F. Allen and family have returned from Nantucket, where they have been spending their vacation.

—Mrs. Carrie Turner, who has been visiting Mrs. M. E. Davis, Watertown street, has returned to her home in Whitefield, Me.

—Officer Libby has been permanently assigned for duty on the patrol wagon and Officer Shannon for night duty at West Newton.

—Mrs. D. E. Knapp of Washington, D. C., will make a short visit to friends here, by which she will be welcomed, during the coming week.

—Mr. Quincy Hawkes, one of Newton's respected veteran firemen, has been made an honorary member of the Newton Firemen's Relief Association.

—President Hyde of the common council will be in town on Friday afternoon, and will inspect the station Monday evening and inspect the workings of the new police signal system.

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—The Bartlett Lancers of Newton Lower Falls and other friends have presented the City of Newton with a fine set of engraved, entitled "The Young Guards." It is neatly framed and is duly appreciated by the recipients.

—In token of respect for the grand army of the Republic and in honor of the review of the veteran soldiers and sailors on Tuesday next, the City Hall will be closed and the national colors will be displayed on the staffs of the public buildings of the city.

—Cate's 4-horse barge will be pandemonium decked with flags and bunting police station Monday evening and inspected the workings of the new police signal system.

—It will be used as a conveyance for the disabled veterans of the city, who will participate in the parade in Boston. The barge will leave Cate's stable at 8 a. m. sharp on Tuesday, August 13, at Newton.

—A kettle of fat boiled over in the kitchen in the residence of Mr. George A. Frost, Highland street, Tuesday evening, making quite a blaze, seen by a neighbor who hastened out to see what was the matter. The fire department, ringing in an alarm from box 37, under the impression that the house was on fire.

—Rev. Lawrence J. O'Toole, pastor of St. Bernard's church, sails for home August 15. On Sunday after next a meeting of the parishioners will be held for the purpose of making arrangements for giving the reverend gentleman a hearty welcome on his return. He will probably arrive here about August 25.

—Many neighbors and friends gathered on the grounds of Deacon Johnson, corner of Myrtle and Prospect streets, during the afternoon and evening, yesterday, the occasion being a lawn party, which proved a very enjoyable affair. Refreshments were partaken of, the guests being entertained at tables spread on the lawn.

—Prof. E. F. Kimball has made a pedestrian tour of the White Mountains and arrived at the summit of Mount Washington Friday evening, and was one of the party to witness the most beautiful phenomena of the season. On second page will be found his account of the scene, as printed in Among the Clouds.

—The Graphic would suggest the arming of policemen with linenen's nippers, provided with rubber handles. In case of a storm, followed by fallen wires, the possession of the nippers would be of great out of all difficulty, enabling them to cut or pull the wire at will. A repetition of Officer Libby's experience would thus be avoided and the necessary work of clearing away fallen wires would be greatly facilitated.

—The special committee of the Newton city council having the subject of a memorial building under consideration has voted to recommend an appropriation of \$15,000, representing the sum of money to be provided an equal amount is contributed by citizens. The erection of a memorial building simply without accommodations for a drill hall or auditorium, is favored. At a meeting of the general committee in the City Hall, Monday evening, the plan of the special committee of the city council was approved, and a sub-committee was appointed to solicit contributions for the building. The sub-committee comprises Messrs. Henry E. Cobb, E. B. Haskell, N. H. Chadwick, W. J. Follett, A. F. Luke, S. W. Jones, Col. E. H. Haskell and Commander Whitney of Charles Ward Post.

—The board of health met in the City Hall, Tuesday afternoon. The major portion of the session was occupied in hearings on petitions of Edw. J. Wilson, who is out for the drainage of River street, Auburndale and Oak avenues; residents of Elm and Webster streets for the abatement of an alleged nuisance caused by smoke from Lucas' mill; and the petition of Mr. J. H. Burdett for a permit to continue the use of a well as an overflow in connection with a cesspool. Messrs. E. E. Burdett, Asahel Wheeler, M. B. Hussey, Charles Shepard and Marcus Norton spoke concerning the annoyances caused by the smoke from the mill, and urged the necessity of some form of relief. It was voted to construct a drain through the territory in view of Auburndale and Oak avenues, under the direction of the city engineer. Action on the other petitions was postponed until Friday afternoon to which time the board adjourned.

—When Mr. Nathaniel F. Potter of Concord was driving in a carriage on Margin street, last Friday afternoon, his horse became frightened by the cars and ran, turning suddenly into Lancaster street and wisting the wheels of the Edw. J. Wilson mill. The occupants, members of Mr. Potter's family and his son's family, were thrown out and all escaped serious injury except Mr. Potter, who was pinned between the step of the vehicle and the ground and dragged a distance of about 200 feet before he could be released from his dangerous position. He was picked up by Mr. Robert Bennett and James Collins, who placed him in one of Cate's hacks and taken to the residence of Mr. C. F. Tuttle on Hunter street. Dr. Thayer was summoned and attended the injured man, who received a bad cut over the eye and another in the back of the head, besides being severely bruised and shaken up. Fortunately he escaped internal injuries and his condition is now reported as comfortable. The remnants of the carriage were removed to Cole's blacksmith shop and the horse was finally captured.

—Mrs. Bethsabe Freeman Nickerson, the mother of ex-Alderman James H. Nickerson, died at her home in Provincetown early Sunday morning. The deceased was born in Sandwich in 1808 and had enjoyed good health until last winter when

she became a sufferer from paralysis, gradually failing in health from that time. In early life Mrs. Nickerson had taught school in Provincetown where she became acquainted and was married to the late Caleb Nickerson about 57 years ago. Her brother, Nathan Freeman, was president of the Provincetown bank for many years. The deceased was a most estimable lady, possessing many beautiful traits of character which endeared her to a wide circle of relatives and friends. The funeral services were held in Provincetown Tuesday where the interment was made. Rev. Mr. Burnell and Rev. R. Perry Bush officiated at the services.

During these hot summer months you should have one or two pieces of Rattan furniture to make life comfortable. The best place in New England to secure Rattan goods at the lowest price, is at Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, Boston.

AUBURDALE.

—Mr. Frank Pluta has purchased a new horse.

—Mr. C. G. Tinkham was in Taunton, Tuesday.

—Mr. Chas. H. Sprague was in town yesterday.

—Mr. Merrill Taylor is at work for Mr. Ezra V. Barker.

—Mr. Clarence Ashendon sang at a concert in Plymouth, last evening.

—Miss E. P. Gordon started yesterday morning for Old Orchard, Me.

—Rev. Mr. Knox of the Methodist church preached in Monox, last Sunday.

—Mr. C. E. Sweet of Grove street is driving a pair of \$1000 grey horses.

—Mrs. Fanny Hardy of Arlington is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Smith.

—Mrs. Thomas Hall, and Master Harry Hall are at the Hotel Cottage, Nahant.

—Mr. Frank Childs has purchased a very valuable horse for store use this week.

—Mrs. Dr. Clarke of New Bedford is visiting her son, Dr. Clarke of this place.

—Mr. J. Woodward, our popular market man, enjoyed a day at Nantasket this week.

—Prof. William Tudor and family of Weston are summering in New Hampshire.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hall were at the Standish House, Duxbury, a few days last week.

—Mr. Charles Hall of Hall & Washburn, is unable by reason of sickness to continue work.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Fiske, Wolcott street, are at Hotel Langwood, Wyoming, Mass.

—John Clocker has returned from his vacation and is on duty at Woodberry's again.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Almy of Woodbury street are enjoying Provincetown breezes.

—Particulars of the funeral services of Mr. Wm. E. Plummer will be found on sixth page.

—Prof. L. M. Norton and family have departed for New Hampshire quietness at Waterville.

—Miss Carrie Bourne is taking a delightful rest with friends from Windsor, Vt., at Lake Sunapee.

—Rev. Watson Knox and wife are enjoying their vacation for the month of August at Suffield, Ct.

—Mr. Thomas J. Marble and family of Central street returned this week from their vacation at the shore.

—Mr. Albert B. Partelow goes to Moosehead Lake next week with an elegant steam launch, newly finished.

—Mr. Edward L. Pickard and family returned from their pleasant outing at Jefferson Highlands, N. H., this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Benton and Miss Benton are registered at the Intervale House, Intervale, N. H., this week.

—Mr. J. R. Robertson is building a very fine boat which will be entered in the Amateur Regatta. It will be very fast.

—Mr. E. L. Pickard, Jr., Miss Julia Pickard, and their friend, Miss Plummer, are at Harpswell, Me., for enjoyment.

—Mr. Jules Luquens has returned from Duxbury's primitiveness, and Mrs. Luquens returns this week from Salem, Ohio.

—Dr. M. H. Clarke, the popular physician of this village, has just purchased a fine colt, which promises to be a speedy roadster.

—Mr. Phipps and family of Hancock street are camping out at Linfield, Mass. They will remove to Lynn after their return.

—Three men from Brighton, in a team drawn by a horse whose strength was exhausted, were stopped by Officer Quigg, Friday afternoon, and the horse stalled.

—List of advertised letters.—Rev. F. M. Bristol, Mrs. M. A. Baker, John Hanlon, J. J. Melroy, Miss A. O'Connell, Miss E. J. Melroy, and Mr. Howard Phelps. Miss Mabel and Master Phelps of New York, formerly residents of Newton, were at the Woodland Park Hotel this week.

—Mr. Geo. Keyes has been obliged to stop work since last week, owing to a severe malaria attack, but is now getting out again, and his many friends hope soon to see him well and strong.

—Mr. Wm. P. Briggs and Miss E. Alice Breed were united in marriage last evening by Rev. Edwin Cutler, at the residence of the bride's parents, in Weston. It was a family wedding and a large number of relatives were in attendance.

—The drinking fountain, corner of Ash and Auburn streets, has needed repairing for a long time and it is learned that complaint has been made to proper authorities a number of times but no attention has been paid. The water overflows and floods the street crossing.

—Mr. V. K. Kirby has decided not to re-open his market here, but to engage in the produce business in New Hampshire, purchasing of the farmers and shipping direct to Boston, Providence or Worcester markets. He has been in the business before and will doubtless be successful.

—Mr. Fred C. Smith has made a very advantageous change in his barber shop this week, taking out the partition between himself and Mr. John Frost, and building a new one farther in to Mr. Frost's shop, which leaves him plenty of room and enlarges the barber shop some four feet, including another window. With this additional room customers will find much more convenience for waiting, and work can be much facilitated.

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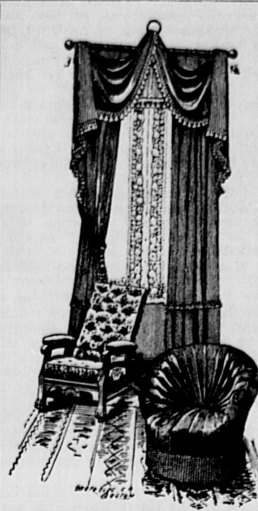
—Miss Fannie Mc McGee is passing the month of August at Calverne, Mass.

—A police box in this village would have greatly assisted the officers in communicating with headquarters.

—At 6.18 during the severe thunder storm last Thursday evening a bolt of lightning struck the house of Mr. Wm. B. Locke at Waban. The damage was comparatively small, due to the splendid work of Messrs. H. H. Hall, C. A. Cole and Maynard Collins who were ably and understandingly assisted by officers Mitchell, Harrison, Purcell and Leonard and a corps of Mr. Hale's teamsters. Mrs. Locke, who is a cripple, was assisted to place of safety; articles of value were removed; a line of hose was obtained from the City Farm and a stream of water thrown completely drenching and subduing the flames. The conflagration was entirely subdued before the arrival of the fire department.

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The republican state convention meets at Boston September 17. It will have to decide how it can afford to renominate Gov. Brackett, how it can afford not to, what it can do to induce him to with-



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Hearts of Childhood.

In childhood, when our hearts were young,
To baby eyes the world was new,
The curtains of the heavens were hung
Low down, and golden stars shone through
In childhood, when our hearts were young.

'Twas morning then, for all the day
The air was fresh, bright were the skies,
The dew drops caught the flashing ray
And held up to our wondering eyes
The rainbow making sprites at play.

In childhood, when our hearts were young,
Our ears heard every song and trill,
And ne'er was sweeter measure sung
Than what was tripped by the rill
In childhood, when our hearts were young.

We heard the linnets and the thrush
Greet morn with a glad wakening cry,
And in the swamp-grown alder bush
The warblers sing their lullaby
To all the world in evening's hush.

In childhood, when our hearts were young
The days were bright, the sun shone clear,
Time's pendulum then heavy swung
As to a music soft and low,
In childhood, when our hearts were young.

The summer's heat, the winter's cold
Were welcome as were storm and calm;
Within our hearts the planets rolled,
We scooped the moon up in our palm—
The miser's never held such gold.

In childhood, when our hearts were young,
When they were light and gay withal,
Their chords had not been strained and wrung
By what we dreamed not would befall
In childhood, when our hearts were young.

COURAGE.

Miss Comfort went boldly ahead,
opened a first-class boarding house and
made money.

"Men go on credit," said she, "and
why shouldn't women? At the year's
end, if I can't any more than pay ex-
penses, I'll try something else."

But at the year's end there was a
snug little balance in Miss Comfort's
favor, so she took heart of grace, and
continued in her business.

"Oh, it's you, is it?" said Miss Com-
fort Walker, as she perceived Ellen
O'Brien, the washerwoman, in the base-
ment hall.

"Yes, it's me, worse luck, Miss Com-
fort," whispered poor Ellen.

"And what's the matter?"

"It's me bill up stairs, Miss Comfort—
the boarder in the second story front,
wid the gay, goold shirt studs an' the
green and yellow stones in his sleeve
buttons. Nine dallers and sivity cents,
Miss Comfort—six weeks' washing and
ironing—and now, when I make bould
to ax him' would he be pleased to pay
me, he tells me it isn't convanient. And
when I tells him how sore I need money,
he up and gets mad and says I shan't
have it at all."

Miss Comfort stood listening, with
knitted brow and troubled, black eyes.
"Have you got your bill with you,
Ellen?" said she, after a moment's hesi-
tation.

"Jimmy wrote it out, all nate and
proper," faltered Ellen, producing a
crumpled slip of blue paper from her
pocket.

"Give it to me," said Miss Comfort
Walker, "and come here this evening at
8 o'clock, and you shall have your
money."

Ellen shook her head disconsolately.
"And thank you all the same, Miss
Comfort, dear," said she, "but you can't
no more't we can get blood from a
stone."

"We'll see about that," said Miss
Comfort.

She went slowly up stairs, with the
little piece of paper in hand.

"It's a shame," said Miss Comfort.
Leotard Carlyon was Miss Comfort
Walker's best boarder, with the single
exception that up to the present mo-
ment, his twenty-five dollars a week had
been in the future. Now, it so chanced
that one reason for her reposing so much
confidence in Mr. Leotard Carlyon, the
new boarder, was that he was the
nephew and heir apparent of Caleb Car-
lyon, the rich banker, from whom she
rented her brown stone house, at the
trifling consideration of \$9000 per an-
num.

"He can't be a thorough-going im-
poster," said she to herself, "with such
a relation as that."

So she went bravely up to Mr. Car-
lyon's room and tapped at the door.

"Come in," the call out. "Oh, it's
you, Miss Walker, is it?"

Miss Comfort advanced valiantly with
the bill in her hand to where Leotard
Carlyon reclined languidly amid a heap
of sofa pillows, with a newspaper in his
hand.

"Don't you think you could settle this
little account, Mr. Carlyon?" she said.

"The poor woman needs it very much,"
Leotard Carlyon's handsome black
brows darkened.

"She has been to you with her story,
has she?" snarled he. "No, I can't
settle it; I don't would. If I could,
it's worth more than the money to me to
be so badgered and beset. Have the
goodness, Miss Walker, for the future to
remember that I am able to attend to
these little affairs for myself, without
any extraneous interference."

"That means that I am to attend to
my own business," thought our little
housekeeper, as she retreated, coloring
and rather indignant. "Well, I will, for
I consider it my duty to obtain redress
for the unfortunate."

So Miss Comfort tied on a little brown
velvet hat she had trimmed with scarlet
poppies and brown autumn leaves and
set out bravely for the Mount Orient
bank.

The clerks stared at her a little curi-
ously as she was shown into the presi-
dent's room at the back, where Mr.
Carlyon sat, straight and upright, with
blue eyes like a falcon and hair slightly
sprinkled with gray.

He elevated his brows at sight of Miss
Comfort Walker.

"I believe your rent is not due for a
month yet, Miss Walker," he said, with
the cold courtesy which always made
her feel as if he were encased in an
armor of ice.

"No," said the little lady, courage-
ously; "but it's about your nephew, Mr.
Leotard Carlyon, and she told the story
of Ellen O'Brien and her wrongs."

"He ought to pay the money," said
Miss Comfort, excitedly. "He must be
made to pay the money."

"May I ask, Miss Walker, why you
interest yourself so markedly in this
affair?" the banker asked with a cold,
measured calm, that contrasted strange-
ly with the little woman's heat and
flurry.

"Another way of telling me to mind
my own business," said Miss Comfort to
herself. But she kept up a bold front
and answered:

"Because I think no man has a right
to cheat a poor woman out of her hard
earned money."

"That is a strong word, Miss Walker,"
observed the landlord.

"It's the only correct word in this

case, Mr. Carlyon," retorted Miss Com-
fort, secretly marvelling at her own
courage in thus daring to confront the
stately banker.

"Perhaps he is owing something to
yourself?" questioned the banker keenly.

"Yes, sir; he is," Miss Comfort made
answer. "But it isn't that I came about.
I am quite able to attend to my own
financial debts, even to lose a little if it
should be necessary, but this poor
woman is friendless and alone."

Mr. Carlyon glanced at his watch.
Miss Comfort turned toward the door.
"I'm very sorry that my time is no
longer at my own disposal," said he,
courteously.

And Miss Comfort went away almost
crying.

"Now I've made an enemy of him, as
well as Mr. Leotard, and haven't done
the least bit of good," she thought.

"And he will let the house to some one
else in the spring, and—about—after
all, I am not sorry that I did my best.
Poor, poor Ellen! What shall I say to
her when she comes at 8 o'clock?"

But that evening, just as Miss Com-
fort was beginning to pile up account
books, a ring came to the door, and Miss
Comfort rose up, confused and flutter-
ing.

"Miss Walker, pray don't let me dis-
turb you," said the banker. "I have
only dropped in for a little social call.
You showed yourself to me to-day in a
different light from any in which you
have yet appeared."

"A dun!" demanded poor Miss Com-
fort, almost hysterically.

"No—a true-hearted, noble-natured
woman. But you need no longer dis-
cuss yourself. The bill is paid. And
now, if you are at leisure, I'll just take
my evening cup of tea with you."

How pleased and proud Miss Comfort
was, as she poured the decoction of
fragrant young hyson into her great-
grandmother's cup, decorated with but-
terflies and oblong scrolls of gilt and
violet. And how she kept wondering all
the while how Carlyon, the great banker,
could take such an interest in her home-
ly, humdrum little affairs.

But if she had only known it, Mr.
Carlyon seldom came across a true, real
heart in his complicated business trans-
actions.

"It's not true," said Mr. Leotard.
"My uncle would never make such a fool
of himself at his age. Why, he's fifty if
he's a day."

"Only forty-four," said Mrs. Leigh
Creswick, with malicious delight. "But,
of course, it must be a great mortifica-
tion to you, Mr. Leotard, who have
always been looked upon as his heir.
And to think too, he is going to marry
that queer little old woman who keeps
the boarding house. For it's true! As
true as taxes! I saw the wedding ring
myself at 7 o'clock."

Leotard Carlyon gnawed silent at his
mustache. How strangely little circum-
stances are woven together in life's web,
he thought. If he had paid that whin-
ing washerwoman's bill, she would not
have confided her woes to Miss Comfort
Walker; and Miss Comfort Walker would
not have gone to his uncle; and his uncle
wouldn't have fallen in love with Miss
Comfort's rosy cheeks and bonnet
neither; and he would have still been the
rich banker's heir apparent.

He wished he had paid the washer-
woman's bill.

BOATING ON THE CHARLES.

Laws Relating to Steam Craft on In-
land Waters.

THE TIME CAME FOR MORE PRECISE RE-
GULATIONS—NEED OF A STATE BOARD
OF INSPECTION OF NAVIGATION—GROW-
ING POPULARITY OF A PORTION OF THE
RIVER.

[From Boston Herald.]

Lovers of boating are frequently tor-
mented with the question involved in
water rights or, perhaps, more properly
speaking, the right of way accorded to
rowing boats and canoes in connection
with the steam launches which are be-
coming more and more popular as a
pleasure craft on inland waters. The
latter variety of pleasure boat is obliged
to conform to certain restrictions on all
government waters. These restrictions
imposed by the board of United States
inspectors of navigation include the ex-
amination and appointment of engineers
and pilots and the taking out of a li-
cense. Sec. 4226 of the United States
laws governing the steamboat inspection
service provides as follows:

The hull and boilers of every ferry
boat, canal boat, yacht or other small
craft of like character, propelled by steam,
shall be regularly inspected. Such other
provisions of law for the better security
of life as may be applicable to such ves-
sels shall, by the regulations of the board
of supervising inspectors, also be re-
quired to be complied with before a cer-
tificate of inspection shall be granted;
and no such vessel shall be navigated
without a licensed engineer and a li-
censed pilot.

In the case of all pleasure craft, the
certificate of inspection prohibits the
carrying of merchandise or passengers
for pay.

The United States board of supervising
inspectors, however, has no jurisdiction
except on government waters. Hence on
all inland streams obstructed by locks
or dams, the regulations of law concern-
ing navigation revert to the state.

The wisdom of the laws concerning na-
vigation, especially in the case of steam
pleasure boats, as provided by the United
States statutes, has been recognized in
some of the states, at least. In Maine
and New Hampshire boards of super-
vising inspectors of navigation have been
appointed. These boards examine and
issue certificates of inspection in sub-
stantially the same manner as the United
States board. In Massachusetts, as is
the case in nearly all the states of the
Union, the navigation of waters properly
in the control of the commonwealth is
governed by legislative enactment. The
following provisions, applicable to steam-
boats on inland waters, are taken from

THE MASSACHUSETTS STATUTES:

Sec. 120. The mayor and aldermen of
a city or the selectmen of a town may li-
cense any person to run a steamboat for
the conveyance of passengers on lakes,
ponds or waters not within the maritime
jurisdiction of the United States.

Sec. 121. Such licenses shall be granted
for a term not exceeding one year, and
shall be recorded by the clerk of the city
or town in which they are granted, and
shall receive a fee of \$1 for recording
each license. Every such license shall
set forth the name of the vessel and of
the master and owner, and the number
of passengers such vessel is permitted to
carry at any one time, and shall be posted
in a conspicuous place thereon, and the

number of passengers specified in such
license shall in no case be exceeded.

Sec. 122. Whoever runs a steamboat
for the conveyance of passengers on such
waters without first obtaining such li-
cense from the mayor and aldermen of
a city or the selectmen of a town, or
town within which such steamboat lands
or receives passengers shall be punished
by fine not exceeding \$50 for each offense.

Recently the attention of a Herald re-
porter was called to the character of the
boating on the Charles river between
Riverside in Newton, the city of Wal-
tham and the town of Weston. This
portion of the river is one of the most
popular resorts for pleasure boating in
the eastern part of the state. This sea-
son, even with the adverse condition of
low water, a very large number of row-
ing boats and canoes are to be seen daily
plying between Riverside and Weston, or
pursuing a course toward the shores of
Waltham. The steam launches for the
past few weeks have been lying idle, owing
to the present condition of the river,
but are only awaiting higher water in
anticipation of many pleasant trips to
the beautiful tower of Norumbega and
return. In the early days of boating in
this favorite spot, the steam launch was
a great novelty. Within the past few
years, however, it has become a popular
pleasure boat, and many of them are
now owned by gentlemen residing in
Newton and Waltham. The launches are
for the most part kept and used strictly
for pleasure purposes, but with their
advent has come the question of some
sort of restriction, strongly urged by the
boating public, who derive their pleasure
from the trips up the river and return in
the ordinary rowing boats and canoes.

It has been believed by many that the
navigation of the river at the point
named was governed by the United
States law, but the supposition was
erroneous. The construction of dams at
Watertown and Waltham brings this por-
tion of the river

WITHIN THE CONTROL OF THE STATE.

The reference, therefore, to United
States law and the rote law governing inland
navigation will prove interesting reading
for those seeking information upon this
subject.

The state statutes clearly prohibit the
carrying of passengers for pay by steam-
boats not licensed, yet there is only one
small launch licensed either in Newton
or Waltham. The licensed boat alluded
to, the Echo, advertises to carry passen-
gers, and is properly licensed in Wal-
tham. The steam launches are not li-
censed, it being supposed that they were
used strictly for pleasure purposes. On
the Newton and Waltham side of the
river, however, steam launches occur yearly,
and have been engaged to carry parties
to a given point up the river and return,
the price for this transportation being
fixed at the rate of \$1.50 per hour. As
the launches are not licensed, it would
appear that the owners of boats engaged
in the business are liable to a fine under
the provisions of the state statutes.

It is believed by many interested in
boating on both sides of the river that
the time has arrived when proper restric-
tions should be applied to the running of
steam launches, especially in view of the
danger from collision or the explosion of
a boiler. The establishing of a state
board of inspectors of navigation, it is
thought, will best provide for the future,
not only concerning the navigation of
pleasure boats on the Charles river, but
on all other inland streams in the state
not within the maritime jurisdiction of
the United States. Many Newton people
advocate the

ESTABLISHING OF A POLICE BOAT,
furnished with life-saving apparatus, as
a protection for the boating public on
the Charles river above Riverside. Nu-
merous drowning accidents occur yearly,
and all rescues and attempted rescues
have generally been made by parties in
other boats on the river or by citizens
who have put out in boats from the
shores on either side of the stream.

The present condition of affairs, in
case of a drowning accident, if a boat
conveyed to the shore, there it must lie
until the arrival of the medical examiner,
who is frequently delayed for three or
four hours. If the body is taken ashore
on the Waltham, Newton or Weston side,
the authorities in the places named pos-
sess no special authority enabling them
to remove it to a suitable place; neither
do they care to claim it, for perhaps it
may mean an expense which could just
as well be borne by some other com-
munity. The medical examiner has a large
territory to cover, and is frequently a
stranger to the scene of the accident.

These various conditions concern-
ing the navigation of steam launches, the
rescuing of drowned persons and the
care of bodies of victims of drowning
accidents have occasioned a desire for a
better order of things, for it is believed
by many that more enjoyment would be
derived from boating in a spot which has
steam launches was placed under proper
restrictions and some method of local
authority established for the greater pro-
tection of the rapidly increasing number
of persons of both sexes who desire to
derive pleasure from further enjoyment in
rowing and canoeing in a spot which has
become a famous attraction for the lovers
of this healthful sport.

Obituary.

Mr. William E. Plummer died at his
residence on Woodland avenue, Auburn
dale, at about 11 o'clock last Friday morn-
ing, of heart trouble. The deceased had
been in failing health but had rallied and
appeared to be improving, when he sud-
denly became seriously ill and sank
rapidly. Mr. Plummer was born in New-
buryport, was about fifty-six years old,
and had lived for the past thirty years in
Newton. He had been in very poor
health the past three months, and re-
cently recovered partially from a severe
illness. He was one of a few men who
organized the Citizens' party, which, six
years ago, selected as its candidate for
Mayor of Newton J. Wesley Kimball,
who was elected over his Republican op-
ponent for that office, the first time in
the history of the city of the defeat of
the Republican nominee. The Citizens'
movement, in which Mr. Plummer was
always a prominent figure, subsequently
re-elected Mr. Kimball three times. He
was a member of the Newton Democrat-
ic ward and city committee, and was re-
garded as the leading Democrat of the
city. He was a graceful and eloquent
speaker, and frequently participated in
the debates before the West Newton Ly-
ceum Association. He was an associate
member of Charles Ward Post #2, G. A.
R., and was very popular with the Grand
Army men, on account of his services in
behalf of the soldiers during the war. He
was a guest at the recent encampment
dinner in Faneuil Hall, when he made
an eloquent after-dinner speech.

Mr. Plummer had been a member of the
Democratic State central committee, and

had been sent as a delegate to innum-
erable Democratic State and national con-
ventions. He was once a candidate for
the Governor's Council on the Democrat-
ic ticket. He was a member of the Bos-
ton Club and was always a welcome
guest at the social meetings of other
clubs. He was engaged in the shoe and
leather machinery business in Boston
and was an able and enterprising busi-
ness man. He was an earnest tariff re-
form speaker, possessing a fund of in-
formation concerning the boot and shoe
industries, and spoke in behalf of his
party's candidates in numerous cam-
paigns. Personally he was a man of
genial disposition and was generally es-
teemed. He leaves a widow and four
children. Albert and Gordon Plummer,
both Boston business men, are brothers
of the deceased, and the former is one of
the owners of the Shoe and Leather Re-
porter.

The funeral took place from his late
residence, Monday afternoon. There was
a large attendance of relatives, friends
and former business associates of the
deceased. Charles Ward Post #2 was
present, and its associate contingent
and number of gentlemen, who had
known Mr. Plummer in his political life.
The services were conducted by Rev.
William H. Ryder of Gloucester, who al-
luded in eulogistic terms to Mr. Plum-
mer's many excellent traits of character—
his sympathy, love of home, courage,
industry, and his devotion to his business.
Beautiful and appropriate selections were
sweetly and sympathetically rendered by
a mixed quartet, comprising Mrs. E.
Humphrey Allen, soprano; Miss Ger-
trude Edmonds, contralto; Mr. George
E. Want, tenor; Mr. Hitchcock, basso.
The floral tributes were very tasteful
and included several wreaths of roses,
calla and delicate ferns from the brothers
of the deceased.

Among those present at the services
were noticed: Messrs. W. W. Kelten,
Richard F. Tobin, E. B. Haskell, Edward
H. Dunn, Henry Pemberton, Thomas
Nelson, C. B. Burr, H. H. Carter, Henry
Thorndike, C. E. Parker, Col. E. H. Has-
kell, Maj. Ranlett, Prof. C. C. Bragdon,
Commander Whitney and many others.

The remains were interred in the New-
ton Cemetery. The pall bearers were
Messrs. H. Dunn, Charles H. Maynard,
Henry Pemberton, Past Dept. Comm-
ander Richard F. Tobin, Commander S. S.
Whitney and Junior Vice Commander S.
A. Ranlett of Charles Ward Post.

The Office Towel.—"Here," said the
stage manager to the new actor, who was
washing off his make up, "what are you
trying to wipe on that sheet iron for?"
That's what we make the theater with."

"Beg pardon?" was the reply. "If I
thought it was the towel, I used to be in
a newspaper office, you know."—Law-
rence (Mass.) American.

"Hab yo got any medicine dat will
purify de blood?"

"Yes; we keep this sarsaparilla, at \$1 a
bottle. It purifies the blood and clears
the complexion."

"Well, boss, hasn't yo got sumdin' fo'
about 50 cents, jes' fo' de blood? I don't
keer about the complexion."—Life.

A popular fallacy.—That the easiest
things to do, are to tell the truth and to
edit a newspaper.—Light.

Scrabble-See, all your recent poems are
in blank verse.

Scribble-Yes, I've been trying the Louisi-
ana Lottery of late.—Town Topics.

We do not have to look to the heavens
to prove astronomical truths. In moving
from Park Row to Frankfort street, New
York, the World goes around the Sun—
Puck.

It is an easier thing to be a fearless his-
torian than it is to be a fearless editor.
The dead can't punch back unless you
are descended from them.—Puck.

"I want a pair of tweezers, please,"
said the well dressed customer to the
instrument maker. "Yes, sir. Are you a
physician?" asked the dealer, it being his
customary to make reduced rates to the
members of the profession. "No, I am
going into the ice business."

Tom's little cousin Mabel described
graphically her sensation on striking a
diamond elbow on the bed carving: "Oh,
my!" she sighed, "mamma, I've struck
my arm just where it makes stars in my
fingers!"—Jewish Messenger.

"I am going to the shore, yes," said
Miss Angeline. "And I am not going
husband hunting; but if any nice young
man is out here hunting I shall be easily
found."—Hartford Post.

It is said that a plague of rats may be
dispersed by catching one of them, dressing
him in scarlet and turning him loose.
His appearance will cause such a fright
among his companions that they will
clear out at once. If not convenient to
dress the rodent, a Harvard student
might be allowed to paint him red.

Bruder Cole. "Deed! Mistah Petahs,
I got her ter leab de narrer path fer ter
get ter de roost, and de chicken, he ter
act like de debil when I took aftah him.
But I couldn't backslide, I deed I couldn't
kase, I couldn't see no chicken in dat pocket."
—Texas Siftings.

"Gracious!" says the youth, as he
mops his brow, "it's too warm to work."
Then he throws down his pen and goes
out to play a few games of tennis, pitch-
es a ball for a while, and puts in the
evening rowing about four miles up the
river.

Progress.

It is very important in this age of vast mat-
erial progress that a remedy be pleasing to
the taste and to the eye, easily taken, acceptable
to the stomach and healthy in its nature and
action. Possessing these qualities, Syrup of
Figs is the one perfect laxative and most gentle
diuretic known.

Why continue the use of irritating powders,
snuffs or liquids? Ely's Cream Balm, of
application and a sure cure for catarrh and
cold in head, can be had for 50c. It is easily
applied into the nostrils, is safe and pleasant,
and is curing the most obstinate cases. It gives
relief at once.

Hold it to the Light

The man who tells you confidentially just
what will cure your cold is prescribing Kemp's
Balm this year. In the preparation of this
remarkable medicine for coughs and colds no
expense is spared to combine only the best and
purest ingredients. Hold a bottle of Kemp's
Balm to the light and look through it; notice
the bright, clear look; then compare with other
remedies. Price 50c, and \$1.

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M. Solomon, Jr., 75 Court St.,
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Boston, Aug. 26, 1889.

Dr. Solomon has cured a cancer on my lip of
seventeen years standing. It was cut out twice
by what they call eminent surgeons at intervals
of six years, after being cut out each time I
knew by the feeling it was still there, and
would be now if I had not been so fortunate as
to have Dr. Solomon treat it, he did it without
any cutting. I would urge those afflicted with
cancer not to delay but to go at once and be
cured permanently as I have done. My dear
Doctor I thank from the bottom of my heart.

JOHN HALLAHAN,
78 Charlestown Street.

Penny Wise Policy.

It is understood that a private citizen
of Massachusetts, who served in both
army and navy during the Civil War, has
authorized the State Military and Naval
Historian to draw on him to the extent
of \$500, during the remainder of the pres-
ent year to increase the meagre allow-
ance (\$500) made by the State for clerical
labor and other necessary expenses
in this department. It does not add to
the credit of this Legislature that after a
moderate increase in the appropriation
had been recommended by the Governor
in his message, and had passed the lower
house without opposition, it should have
been referred to the next General Court
by the Senate; and this in a year when
\$50,000 was appropriated with little hesi-
tation to entertain the visiting veterans.
Is not the preservation and proper pre-
sentation of the war record of the State
as important as processions and ban-
quets? The State of Connecticut spent
\$15,000 for clerical labor in Washington
alone in preparing a similar work pub-
lished this year.

The plague of lamps is the
breaking of chimneys; but that
is unnecessary—there are
chimneys that do not break!

They are made of tough
glass, which costs more than
common glass, but not so much
more as to make it impossible
to sell them at the usual retail
price; so the dealer gets less
profit on them.

The dealer wants to know
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trade is to come from, if he
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ever. He secures the "good
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Solicit plans for an Almshouse building and
barn, to be erected on City land on Winchester
street, Ward 5.

Information of what is required may be had by
applying to Nathan Moeman, City Almoner, at
City Hall, West Newton, between the hours of
3 and 5 o'clock p. m.

Plans to be addressed to Committee on Public
Property, and deposited with the City Auditor,
City Hall, on or before Monday, Aug. 11, 5 o'clock
p. m.

He Lost His Nose for an Hour.

On Wednesday morning, at the Kincaid Manufacturing company's mill near this city, Charlie Ballard, a son of Riley Ballard, had the misfortune to have his nose entirely severed from his face by a fast running belt which had slipped off from a pulley, and the edge striking him on the side of the nose cut entirely through. Dr. J. M. Kelley was summoned to the wounded man's relief as soon as possible and he responded at once.

When he reached the place, which is about a mile out, and had seen the injured man he inquired for the nose, which it seems no one in the excitement caused by the accident had thought of. A search was made for the missing member, and it was found in a pile of trash on the floor where it had fallen, was taken and washed in hot water until it became warm and was put back in place, the wound properly dressed, and when done hardly showed that it had ever been severed from the face and is likely to get well. The space of time between the accident and that of placing back the severed member was about an hour.—Griffin (Ga.) News.

A Journey Lasting Nearly Two Years.

In Saratov an interesting traveler on foot arrived recently. He was a peasant, Nikolay Andukin by name, and over 70 years of age. He had been a serf, and in 1852 his master had accused him of theft, and had caused him to be exiled to Okhotsk, in Eastern Siberia. As the crime of which he had been accused could not be established he was sent off as a "free exile"—that is, he was not kept a prisoner or bound to penal service in the place of his destination. For thirty-eight years he worked in Okhotsk as a tanner, and saved money. Having attained his seventieth year he conceived a desire to return to his native land, and, as he said, "to put away his little bones among his own people when his time is up in this world." But he was still hale and hearty, and traveled all the way from Okhotsk on foot. He was on the road twenty-two months, and had many a narrow escape from encounters with bears and wolves. At his old home he has a large family of children and grandchildren awaiting him with open arms.—St. Petersburg Letter.

Pawnbrokers and Seashore.

"This is one of the busiest seasons for us," said a pawnbroker. "You see, the impetuous young men are now about to go to the seashore, and they leave with us all they can dispense with in order to help defray their expenses while masquerading down there as wealthy young men, and angling for young women with good bank accounts. Just now we have on hand a very large stock of overcoats, suitcases and watches, the advances on which will find their way in short order to the tills of the seashore hotel keepers. Some of these men have been customers of mine for years, and when I see them come in with their bundles I know that the season at the seashore has been opened. When the weather cools up in the fall they will raise the money in some manner, and then come in and redeem their pledges."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

The King of Tramps.

Wilson Becker is the name of the young tramp, known in Boston as "Sailor Kid," who recently traveled from Boston to San Francisco and returned in twenty-one days, without spending a cent for food or railroad fare. He is but 20 years old, and has won the title of "King of the Tramps" from his adroitness in beating his way. He was backed in his late transcontinental trip by a Boston man in the sum of \$500 and won. He now offers to wager this sum that he can girdle the globe on the same conditions in 102 days. He is a born dead-beat and brings the highest talent into his business. He was born in Demerara, and ran away from home at the age of 9 years, traveling to Hong Kong, Honolulu and England, with no capital save the gift with which he was born.—Exchange.

Left the Audience Waiting.

Judge Hughes, the author of "Tom Brown's School-days," was delivering a lecture the other evening on "American Humor" at a Cheshire village and delighting his audience immensely. He was so wrapped up in his subject that he was totally oblivious as to the time, and before he had completed the first part he was reminded by the church clock that his train was due in a few minutes. He accordingly picked up his manuscript, umbrella and coat and left the room, while the audience cheered and took it as a mere joke. They expected him to return, but he did not, and the audience dispersed rather ill humoredly. This is characteristic of Judge Hughes.—London Tit Bits.

A Record Breaker.

Comus—I see by the papers that the Philadelphia made over twenty knots an hour when being tested. Thespis—That's no record. I've beaten that myself. Comus—Indeed! Thespis—When coming back to the city this summer I came over thousands and thousands of ties per hour.—Munsey's Weekly.

A pretty sight often seen on St. Charles avenue, New Orleans, is a little boy riding his bicycle with his black and tan dog standing behind him. The dog holds on by resting his front paws on his master's neck, and appears to have no fear, no matter how rapidly they travel. The other day the dog grew weary of the sport before the boy, so without any ado he tucked his head down on the boy's shoulder and went to sleep.

Banker Kennedy, of New York, recently purchased for \$70 the original manuscript of the great war song of Scotland, "Scots wha hae." He showed, however, rare magnanimity and offered this invaluable relic to the city of Edinburgh for the trifle he had given for it. The lord provost gladly accepted the offer, and the town council awarded a vote of thanks to Mr. Kennedy.

Anthracite Coal Waste.

The coal waste commission appointed to consider the question of coal waste in Pennsylvania, consisting of Messrs. J. A. Price, Eckley B. Cox and P. W. Shearer, has issued a circular letter asking for suggestions and information as to the best means of diminishing waste in the mining of coal in the future as well as of utilizing the mountains of culm now existing in the anthracite district. The commission consists of three of the best informed and most practical coal operators in the state. It might be supposed that these men could furnish information on the subject instead of asking for it, and so they probably can and will at the right time.

They are well enough informed, however, to realize that in a multitude of counselors there is wisdom, and their appeal to those who as well as themselves have been making a study of this subject is fully justified. The anthracite coal field is now well defined, and it is scarcely probable that any considerable new deposits of this valuable and necessary fuel will be discovered in the United States. Under the present wasteful system of mining by which scarcely more than one-third of the coal is utilized for actual use this supply will be exhausted at furthest in a couple of centuries. It is quite time therefore that some better system should be employed if possible.—Philadelphia Times.

Artificial Teeth Going Up.

"What is all this hubbub about the great advance in the price of artificial teeth?" inquired a reporter of an Auburn dentist. "Well, sir, the fact is the manufacturers are advancing the price on their goods very fast." "Is the advance in your judgment legitimate or is it speculative?" "So far it is entirely legitimate. I have been in this office thirteen years, and during that time nothing has occurred to change the price of teeth 1 per cent., but during the last few months the price of platinum has advanced very rapidly, and as there is no other known metal of which the pins can be made that hold the teeth to the plate it can readily be seen the manufacturers are obliged to advance their prices.

"At present it is difficult to see just where this state of things will lead us. All our platinum is at present mined in Russia and the production is growing less every day while the demand for it is rapidly increasing, and that too in many new industries which have not heretofore used it. I see nothing ahead but the continued advance in artificial teeth for a long time to come. At least this is the advice we are receiving from the wholesale houses every little while."—Lewiston Journal.

Convicted When Innocent.

The case of the man Borrás, the victim of wrongful conviction for murder, was brought before the chamber. M. Thevenet, who was minister of justice at the time of the trial, defended his action in the matter. He expressed himself awkwardly when he said that no other criminal but Borrás could be found. Nobody was wrong. The fault, if there was any, lay in the code of criminal investigation. M. Thevenet also said that Borrás being only pardoned could not demand a new trial, and that in law the heirs of the murdered man Pradis had a right to bring the action in which they have just engaged against poor Borrás for \$4,000 damages. M. Fallieres, without actually blaming the judges, declared Borrás quite innocent, and promised to do what he could in the matter.—Paris Cor. London News.

An Aged Scientist.

Sir George Airy, the oldest of the Englishmen of science, has just entered upon his ninetieth year. Sixty-five years ago he was elected to the Lucasian professorship at the University of Cambridge, having been senior wrangler two years before. The remuneration was nil, or consisted merely of a house, and this circumstance gave the late Mr. Todhunter an opportunity for his mot, "They gave to Airy, nothing—a local habitation and a name." Since that time Airy has been for forty-five years astronomer royal (he resigned in 1881), and has received every honor and distinction open to men of science, including the presidency of the Royal society.—Exchange.

Living in Green Houses.

Two private residences on Clinton avenue, between Fulton and Atlantic avenues, Brooklyn, are a refreshing spectacle in hot weather. They are brownstone front buildings of the ordinary plan, but the bright green foliage of a wisteria vine covers them from roof to basement. The openings at the windows and doors afford light and entrance to the interiors, but every square inch of the original brownstone front is concealed beneath green leaves. There is not another wisteria vine in Brooklyn the growth of which has been so picturesque and perfect.—New York Mail and Express.

Wouldn't Take Pennies.

A passenger on the Tacoma street car line offered five copper cents for his fare. The conductor refused to accept the tender and ejected the passenger. Now the company is called on to stand suit for \$2,000 damages.—San Francisco Call.

Novel Ways to Pay Taxes.

A Maine man has paid his taxes by turning seventy-eight crows' heads into the state treasury. In Massachusetts the citizen may work out his taxes on the town roads, or catch seals and collect the bounty of \$1 each offered for their tails.

Makes a Better Showing.

"The government was wise in taking the census before the Fourth of July." "Why?" "Because the toy cannon had not then reduced the population."—Epoch.

A Londoner accuses Walter Besant of having hypnotized him and having extracted from him in that condition the entire story, word for word, of the novelette, "The Doubts of Dives."

—Father—Clara, what game was that you were playing when I looked in the parlor last night? Clara—Hide and seek? "What was the kissing for?" "Oh, that was the duty on hides."

Mrs. Seebree—"What are you so interested in?" Mrs. Houler—"An autograph album." "There's awfully stupid usually. Don't you think so?" This one isn't. It's Tom's cheque-book that she carried on that yachting trip to Bar Harbor."

Little Sam Washington (speaking out the words in an advertisement)—"Mammy, don't s-t-e-m spell steam?" Mrs. Washington—"O'se it do, honey." Little Sam—"Den didn't steam wind watches." Mrs. Washington—"Fo' de Lawd, honey! I spects de ge'mans carries ingines 'sted o' watch keys."—Jewellers Weekly.

"How can I get rid of superfluous hair, Mr. Druggist?" "Get married, sir."

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Mrs. Lyman Abbot, wife of the successor to Henry Ward Beecher as pastor of Plymouth Church, is to become one of the editors of "The Ladies' Home Journal," on September 1st next.

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Leave Lynn for Boston at 6.10, 6.50, 7 (Express), 7.30 (Express), 7.50, 8 (Express), 8.10, 8.25, 10.10, 10.35, 11.15, 11.30, 11.45 A. M., 12 M., 12.15, 12.30, 12.45, 1.15, 1.30, 1.45, 2.15, 2.30, 2.45, 3.15, 3.30, 3.45, 4.15, 4.30, 4.45, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.15, 7.30, 7.45, 8.15, 8.30, 8.45, 9.15, 9.30, 9.45, 10 P. M.

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NEWTON CENTRE.

—Mrs. I. N. Metcalf is in Sandwich, N. H.
—Miss Marion Morgan is in Ellsworth, Maine.
—Mr. W. E. Webster has gone to Bar Harbor.
—Mr. W. H. Marley has returned to Patheon, Me.
—Mr. Frank Morse is fishing near Moosehead Lake.
—Miss E. A. Ellis is at the Blyman, Magnolia.
—Will Rising is spending his vacation at Nantasket.
—Mr. C. H. Morse and family have gone to Vermont.
—Mr. E. L. Pease and family are removing to Lynn.
—Mrs. Maggie Sears is visiting relatives in So. Boston.
—Mr. Howard L. Rogers can be found at Burke Haven.
—Mrs. D. B. Harding and family returned home this week.
—Mr. J. E. Harlow and family returned home last week.
—Mr. C. A. Plimpton and family are at Franconia, N. H.
—Mr. F. H. Wheelock registered at the Algonquin this week.
—Mr. E. W. Noyes and family have returned from the shore.
—Mr. Wm. P. Wallace and family have gone to Badger's Island.
—Mr. Wm. Cotter is at his shop again after a two weeks' illness.
—Mr. Geo. E. Barrows is spending the week at Old Orchard, Me.
—Miss Holiday is being entertained by Mr. Dwight Chester's family.
—Mr. S. D. Green and family, Gibbs street, are enjoying a vacation at Saugus for a few days last week.
—Mrs. Coolidge of Pelham street was at Saugus for a few days last week.
—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Byers are expected home from New York this week.
—Benj. P. Shillaber has left Newton Centre for the "Piscataqua Country."
—Mr. Geo. P. Davis and family are entertaining friends from out of town.
—Mr. D. S. Farnham has been in town a few days from Kennebunkport, Me.
—Mrs. Ellen L. Bond and Miss Clara are in New Hampshire for a few weeks.
—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Prentiss have gone to Lake George for a pleasant outing.
—Thomas Burk is enjoying a week's vacation from Mr. W. O. Knapp's store.
—Rev. W. A. Benedict of Pelham street has returned to Florida for a short time.
—William Clark of Beacon street has gone to Chatham, N. B., for his vacation.
—Mr. Earnest N. Wright and family, Rice street, are returning at Camden, Me.
—Miss Lulu Fitz has returned to her home on Homer street from Jackson, N. H.
—Mr. Collier has the contract for building Mr. M. A. Mick's new barn at Oak Hill.
—Lawyer Sheldon, wife and son left the Hotel Pelham last Thursday for Franconia, N. H.
—Mr. Geo. H. Armstrong and Mr. Louis Murphy are on a few weeks' trip down east.
—Miss Louise Fitz was among the arrivals at Hotel Green Acre, Elliot, Me., last week.
—The lightning burned out a number of the Boston & Albany's railway signals last week.
—Rev. W. H. Cobb and family of Elgin street are registered this week at Bass Rock.
—Messrs. E. H. Mason and Stephen Green returned from their vacation this week.
—Mrs. Charles K. Stearns has returned from an outing at Southwest Harbor, Mt. Desert.
—Mrs. Charles D. Barry and Miss Ethel Barry of Lyman street have gone to Fryburg, Me.
—Chas. Hamill is back on the grocery wagon making his usual rounds after his vacation.
—Mr. D. B. Harding and family have been at the Algonquin, this week, in New Brunswick.
—Miss Gertrude Howe of Moreland avenue is attending the summer school at Glen Falls, N. Y.
—Quite a number of Newton Centre items were received last week too late for publication.
—Mr. Augustus Ulmer, Bowen street, is entertaining his niece, Miss Flora Ulmer of Portland, Me.
—One of our popular young clerks, we understand, is shortly to join the ranks of the benedictines.
—Mrs. Norman H. George and Mrs. W. B. Merrill are at the Dunlap Cottage, Marblehead Neck.
—Judge R. R. Bishop and son are taking their meals at Hotel Pelham; Mrs. Bishop is at the shore.
—Rev. O. W. Gates and wife are spending a season of rest at the Orient House, North Conway.
—A number from here made a call on Isaac Saul of the Bay View at Revere Beach, Sunday.
—Messrs. D. H. McWain and Henry S. Williams took a trip to Portsmouth and back this week.
—Fred H. Lesh, Beacon street, is spending the remainder of his summer vacation in Pennsylvania.
—Mr. W. H. A. Clark of Beacon street is enjoying the beautiful surroundings of the Algonquin, N. B.
—The new bathhouse in process of erection at Bullough's pond is being built by Garey & English.
—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Green, Chase street, are enjoying a season of rest at the Prescott House, Lynn.
—George Monroe of Bowen street spurted his racer one-third of mile in one minute and twenty seconds.
—Mr. J. W. Davis is to have charge of the music in the Methodist church on his return from Europe.
—Councilman A. H. Roffe and family, Cypress street, were among the arrivals at Nantasket last week.
—One of Mr. W. H. Mague's best horses was killed by the fall of the derrick at the water works, Tuesday.
—Prof. Geo. R. Hovey has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Mellen Bray at their Onset Bay cottage this week.
—Miss Alice Clements has returned to her home on Warren street after a very pleasant outing at Hull.
—Mr. Marshall P. Rice and family of Centre street are stopping at the Goodnow House, Franconia, N. H.
—The Melrose Tennis Club defeated the Newton Centres in a ball game Saturday, the score reading 25 to 10.
—Mr. and Mrs. Mellen Bray return this week from Onset Bay, where they have been passing the summer.
—Mr. J. E. Tobey, the well known local base ball player, goes to the Piscataqua country, N. H., this week.
—Mr. John H. Sanborn and family, Chase street, spend a portion of this warm weather at the Algonquin, N. B.
—Mr. and Mrs. John Burns, Station street, lost a little child Sunday from an attack of cholera infantum.

—Mr. Sydney G. Steeves and family returned home from their very pleasant vacation down east on Thursday.
—A Japanese Missionary gave a most interesting address in the Congregationalist chapel, last Sunday evening.
—Mr. Matthew Drew of Pratt's stable injured his foot badly this week and Mr. John Glover is taking his place.
—Mr. C. E. Richardson and family, Moreland avenue, have closed their pretty residence and are at Woodford's, Maine.
—A little son of Mr. Herbert L. Ordway slipped off the floor and fell, breaking his arm, Sunday. He is now doing nicely.
—Mr. I. R. Stevens and family went to Monument Beach this week, where Mrs. Stevens will remain for a week or longer.
—Prof. John Munsey, wife and son of New York City are spending a little time with his sister, Mrs. Col. E. H. Haskell.
—List of advertised letters: Mr. Wm. P. Eisonhaur, Miss J. Frasier, Mr. B. H. Hue-tis, Ida Johnson, A. O. Wheeler, Mrs. Worn.
—Rev. and Mrs. Lemuel C. Barnes are comfortably domiciled at the Jackson Hotel, Jackson, N. H., for a two weeks' vacation.
—Mr. Geo. H. Williams, U. S. postal clerk on the Boston & Albany railroad, has commenced the erection of a house on Warren street.
—The Newton Centre, Jr.'s, completely rattled the Lincolns of Newton Highlands Monday afternoon, and took 31 runs allowing the Lincolns 2.
—Mrs. M. A. Holden, who has been visiting her son, Mr. J. C. Holden, and family for the past four weeks, has returned to her home in Salem, Mass.
—Postmaster Geo. F. Richardson has been confined to his bed by a severe attack of malarial fever, but hope this will find him able to be out of doors.
—Mrs. Rogers of Maple Park returned last week from Green Acre, Elliot, Me. She speaks highly of the place. J. G. Whittier and other notables are there.
—Mrs. Spachan's residence was struck by lightning during the violent tempest of last Thursday and was badly torn and shattered, but fortunately it was not set on fire.
—The Congregational pulpit was supplied last Sunday by Rev. Henry F. Colby, D. D., of Dayton, Ohio. Next Sunday Rev. Edward Y. Hicks, D. D., of Andover, Mass., will preach.
—Willis Bond and Fred Wilds with their canoe have started for the ocean, following the Charles river and overland to the Concord river, then down the Concord and the Merrimack to the sea.
—Mr. A. J. Carswell and family have left Littleton, N. H., finding it almost as hot as Boston, and even more dusty, and after a tour through the mountains are now at the Atlantic House, Scarborough Beach, Me.
—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Saltston of Commonwealth avenue, Boston, have joined Rev. Leverett Saltston and family, Col. Henry Lee and family and other prominent society people at the "Cedars," West Chop.
—Mr. N. L. Leganger, the artist, has purchased the Payne house on Crystal street, recently occupied by Mr. S. C. Hunter. The Knight house on the same street was purchased by Dr. E. C. Leach about a year ago.
—Dr. Charles Corken, wife and daughter have returned from Nantucket and are registered at the Rose Standish Hotel, Dover, N. H., for August. The doctor can be found at his Boston office every day as usual.
—Sumner Clement of Newton Centre has returned from an extended bicycle trip to Portsmouth and Newington, N. H., which jaunt of 65 miles he accomplished in seven hours and a half, over the hills of Essex to Newburyport, and thence to the Piscataqua without accident. The trip was wholly enjoyable and he returned much invigorated by his arduous excursion.
—Mr. Cornelius Buckley was at work in one of the manholes on Beacon street, Wednesday, when that heavy shower came up, and concluded to stay down while his assistant took shelter elsewhere. But a short time after the rain had commenced considerable commotion was observed in the direction of the manhole, boots and numerous other things being hastily thrown up, and on investigation he was found to be standing in water near to his waist, but with the aid of Mr. B. B. Buck and his clerk, Will Hahn, who first came to his assistance, he was quickly hauled out.
—Mr. Walter A. Bemis of Boston and Miss Abbie F. Stearns of Newton Centre were united in marriage at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. W. M. Mick of Waltham. The bride was attired in a beautiful white gown, and carried a bouquet of sweet peas. She was attended by her two little nieces. Guests were present from Worcester, Medway, Waltham, Boston, Newton, Charles River, Weymouth, Oak Hill and elsewhere. The presents were numerous and valuable. They left for Pigeon Cove on the 10 o'clock train amid a shower of rice and old shoes. May happiness attend them.
—The house now occupied by Mr. George Ross, owned by Mr. Paul, on the south side of Crystal Lake, was the first church built by the Baptists of Newton Centre and is of much interest. Mr. Ross and two of his children have an attack of malaria, and very near the house are some hundreds of feet, a rod or two wide of dead water cut off from the lake by the railroad, where a good deal of vegetation is decaying, which may be the cause of ill health. Mr. Ross has filled up a part of the place recently and built a stable on it, and it is reported that soon it will all be filled in, which will be a great improvement for the neighborhood and giving a number of building lots.
—The ninth tennis tournament, given by Wright & Dutton, is being held this week, commencing Tuesday, at Newcastle, and Mr. Fred H. Hovey, who made such a brilliant showing at the Partridge tournament, is entered in both the singles and doubles, the latter with A. E. Wright as partner. The Boston Globe says: F. H. Hovey came to the Newton Centre and was formerly a Brown University man. He has become very prominent as a player this year, winning the first prize in singles and doubles, and also the Partridge championship from F. S. Mansfield. Hovey's partner in doubles, A. E. Wright, is from Columbia College and has the reputation of being a good steady player. He is playing a good game this year and expects to give all hands a rub. Mansfield's record, whom Hovey defeated, is summed as follows: Fred S. Mansfield is a prominent member of the Longwood Cricket Club and is one of the oldest men playing the game today. Mansfield won the Southern double championship with Hopkin two years ago and the Partridge championship until beaten by Hovey recently.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Mrs. S. C. Cobb has gone to Whitefield, N. H.
—Mrs. Putney has been very ill for several weeks.
—Mr. Henry Hodson has gone to Old Orchard Beach.
—Mr. W. E. B. Ryder is at the Garfield Cottage, Green Harbor.
—Evangelist Harriman conducted Union Services at Mansfield, Sunday evening.
—Mr. E. Bert Moulton is taking a vacation and has gone to Kennebunkport, Me.
—Two candidates will be initiated at the next meeting of Home Lodge, I. O. O. G.
—The Misses Stewart of Andover have taken board for a short time at Deacon Whittier's.
—Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hayward for the past week have been entertaining relatives from Bridgewater.
—Mr. H. W. Holbrook and family arrived home on Monday from a sojourn of two weeks at Nantasket.

—Mrs. Alex. Taylor and Mr. F. W. Taylor were at Boat's Head Hotel, Hampton Beach, last week.
—Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bird and child, and Mrs. Logan and family, are at the Cheshire House, Fitzwilliam, N. H.
—Mrs. Amanda Smith is quite ill at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Greenwood on Hyde street.
—Mr. and Mrs. Ryder and Mr. Willie Ryder are spending a few days with relatives at Marshfield and Plymouth.
—Rev. W. G. Poor of Chichester Falls will conduct the services at the Congregational church next Sunday. Free seats. All welcome.
—Mr. L. A. Ross of Walnut street, who has been ill several days with malaria, has gone to the Mountains, in company with Mr. Chas. Reed.
—Mr. S. D. Whittemore and family have been at home for a few days from their trip to Saratoga and other places, and have now gone to Maine.
—Miss Bickford was at the Highlands on Wednesday from Kennebunk. She expects to return again the last week in September and resume business.
—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wright have returned from their trip to the mountains. Mrs. Wright is quite ill at the former home in South Boston.
—Methodist services next Sunday will be in charge of Rev. Mr. Todd, who has been spending his vacation at his home.
—Mr. C. H. Guild was one of a party yachting at Kennebunkport one day last week, when they were struck by a squall, having an unpleasant experience for a short time.
—List of letters remaining in the post office—Stephen Barry, W. C. Bell, Edward W. Walter, C. O. Kelly, James Donohue, Wm. H. Smith, Mrs. S. Hall, Wm. Sabin, C. E. Smith, Esq.
—Postmaster Nash is spending a few days among friends at Bridgewater, Vt. He can afford to, for he has the stamps. Mr. Nash is performing the duties of the post office very acceptably.
—Mr. Pliny Nickerson and family from Cliftondale, now occupy the Dana estate, lately purchased by him, and for the past year occupied by Mr. A. J. Carswell, who has removed to Newton Centre.
—The numerous friends of Rev. Carlton P. Mills of Kalamazoo, will be glad to learn that he will be happy to see them at the home of Mr. Alexander Tyler, Lincoln street, on next Monday evening. Mr. Mills' stay in the neighborhood will be very short.
—The alarm rung in from box 65 on Wednesday, was on account of a fire in a small stable on Woodward street, and occupied by Mr. L. F. Mason, provision dealer. Nearly all the property was removed, and the principal damage to Mr. Mason was the partial burning of his ice room, and the interruption of his business. The building, which belonged to the Edmonds property, was insured. Damage three or four hundred dollars.
—A surveying party made quite a sensation last week above the old cemetery on Winchester street. They were very reticent about the object, but it was learned that the men were in the employ of the Old Colony and it is said that they have been employed from Framingham to Boston. The line would run across the Decker, Pulsifer, and Blaisdell farms, and should it go through, real estate in that vicinity would take a sudden boom.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Postmaster Billings is driving a fine new team.
—Cooper & Dyson have hung a new screen door this week.
—Miss Estabrook of Chestnut street has moved to New Hampshire.
—Mr. and Mrs. Otis Pettie are at the Bass Rock House, this week.
—Miss Eva Barrett will spend her two weeks vacation in Springfield.
—Mrs. Thomas Stockman is spending a few weeks at Marblehead Neck.
—Mr. McAdams of Chestnut street is entertaining friends from Boston.
—Mr. Geo. H. Wright of Boston is home on a visit to his parents this week.
—Miss Julia Warren is making a two week visit to her mother in Vermont.
—Mr. Arthur Pitts and family have returned from a very enjoyable vacation.
—Mr. Chas. Thayer of the Gamewell Co. is vacationing at the White Mountains.
—Messrs. W. C. Esterbrook and Herbert Ellis are enjoying a vacation at Nantucket.
—Miss Ida Hutton is entertaining a young lady friend at her home on Linden street.
—Mr. Galen Fisher has removed from Hurd's house, Needham side, to Dog corner.
—Our two great base ball enthusiasts contribute to the "Immortal" Kelly's \$10,000 house.
—The St. George's picnic at Downer's Landing, Wednesday, was well patronized from here.
—Mr. Victor Cahill has left Pettie Macdonald Works and takes a place at the Cranial Paper Mill.
—Mr. John Braman is transporting the factory girls to and from Lower Falls, commencing Monday.
—Highlandville people go to Babylon to-night and tomorrow evening another party will go from here.
—Word has been received from Mr. F. A. Fletcher of his safe arrival at Queens-town after a rough voyage.
—Miss Sadie Hunt of Franklin, Mass., is stopping with Mrs. Ray, and is warmly welcomed by her many friends.
—Rev. C. W. Wilder of Dedham, exchanged pulpits Sunday last with the Rev. John Peterson of the Methodist church.
—People to the number of twenty enjoyed the popular Babylonian visit last Tuesday evening, by way of Atkinson's barge.
—Mr. Andy Donovan and family will occupy the house vacated by Mr. Sullivan, Elliot street, moving from Chestnut street.
—Mr. W. K. Dunham of Plymouth arrived by the noon train Wednesday, and has taken John Procter's place with Cooper & Dyson.
—Mr. Daniel Sullivan, who has been residing in Mr. Hale's house, Elliot street, is to occupy one of the tenements in the new Procter house.
—Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Everett are spending their honeymoon at the White Mountains, and were registered at the Summit House, Tuesday.
—Mr. Linton opened his ice cream parlor on Tuesday evening, but owing to the attraction of Babylon that evening the patronage was limited.
—Lieutenant James Ayles of Camp 100, S. of V., who works for the Gamewell Co., cut an artery in his hand while at work Wednesday and Dr. E. Thompson bandaged it.
—Atkinson's barges to the number of six were required to carry the participants in the picnic from the Highlandville Methodist church to Sherborn, last Wednesday.
—Elliot street is expected to be opened this week and travel can be resumed, on a street that is now first-class, whereas before it was all of fourth class if not worse. The barge trips will at once be resumed by Mr. Miner.
—A travelling man took a picture of the Gamewell Co. building and employs this week, and he will probably sell enough copies to keep him in splendor. Would it not be a good thing to photograph the Upper Falls depot and exhibit it with the picture of the Gamewell Co. building?
—Rev. F. T. Whitman and Rev. B. L. Whitman conducted the Sunday evening

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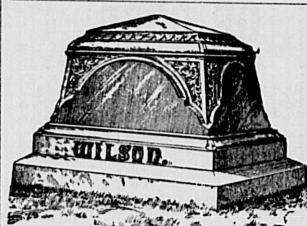
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service at the Baptist church conjointly, the first named giving a most interesting account of his travels through Palestine. He leaves the latter part of the present week for Rangoon, India, where he takes charge of the English speaking church.

—Mrs. John Peterson, who has charge of the primary department of the Methodist Sunday school, gives her class a picnic in the grove adjoining the Paper Mills tomorrow afternoon followed by a collation in the vestry, all of which the little ones are doubtless anticipating with great pleasure.

—There is a larger amount of freighting done at the station than one would casually think. In July the freighting reached nearly 5,000,000 pounds or 1500 tons, not including coal of which there were 800 tons, or 2000 tons of freight for the month. Quite an amount to look out for and handle.

—The employees of the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Co. engaged the services of a tug last Saturday for a trip down the harbor and up the north shore, starting about 9 o'clock in the forenoon. The party numbered about eighty and proceeded up the shore to Salem Willows where they disembarked and enjoyed themselves on shore and ate dinner returning home the latter part of the afternoon, after having a grand good time. These annual trips have for some years been enjoyed by the shop hands and doubtless this was the most enjoyable of all their trips.

Parties seeking fire insurance should consult Mr. Henry N. Baker's card, in this issue. His office is at 47 Kilby St., Boston, and he has a large number of patrons in the Newtons, whose interests are always carefully looked after.

—The attention of the Citizens of Newton is called to the following recommendation:—
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service at the Baptist church conjointly, the first named giving a most interesting account of his travels through Palestine. He leaves the latter part of the present week for Rangoon, India, where he takes charge of the English speaking church.

—Mrs. John Peterson, who has charge of the primary department of the Methodist Sunday school, gives her class a picnic in the grove adjoining the Paper Mills tomorrow afternoon followed by a collation in the vestry, all of which the little ones are doubtless anticipating with great pleasure.

—There is a larger amount of freighting done at the station than one would casually think. In July the freighting reached nearly 5,000,000 pounds or 1500 tons, not including coal of which there were 800 tons, or 2000 tons of freight for the month. Quite an amount to look out for and handle.

—The employees of the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Co. engaged the services of a tug last Saturday for a trip down the harbor and up the north shore, starting about 9 o'clock in the forenoon. The party numbered about eighty and proceeded up the shore to Salem Willows where they disembarked and enjoyed themselves on shore and ate dinner returning home the latter part of the afternoon, after having a grand good time. These annual trips have for some years been enjoyed by the shop hands and doubtless this was the most enjoyable of all their trips.

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—Rev. Dr. Shinn intends to sail for home

August 30th.

—The address of Rev. F. B. Hornbrooke

is Bethel, Me.

—Mr. H. C. Emerson of Waverley avenue

is at Swampscott.

—Miss Estelle Marshall left this week for

New Gloucester, Me.

—Miss Susie Atkins is spending her vacation

at Dover, Mass.

—Mr. C. W. Loring and family are at

Manchester-by-the-sea.

—Letter Carrier Walker is on duty again

after a week's vacation.

—Mrs. H. P. Cole and daughters are in

Needham for a few weeks.

—Mr. F. H. Tucker and family have returned

from their vacation.

—A sketch of Post 62 in Tuesday's parade

will be found on third page.

—Miss E. Maria Williams is at the Randall

House, White Mountains.

—Mr. A. Herbert and family have returned

from Marblehead Neck.

—Dr. Utley has been stopping at the

Shirley House, Winthrop Beach.

—Mr. S. S. Whitney and family are at

Ingleside Cottage, Winthrop Beach.

—Councilman Bates and wife are at the

Norcross House, Monument Beach.

—Mr. Henry Fuller has returned from his

three weeks visit at Saratoga, N. Y.

—Mr. E. C. Huxley and family have returned

from their visit at Camden, Me.

—Mr. J. C. Blume of Hotel Hunnewell

has gone to Nantucket for a few weeks.

—Mrs. D. W. Farquhar and children are at

the Shirley House, Winthrop Beach.

—Mr. T. Edgar White and wife are registered

at the Rockland House, Nantasket.

—Mr. W. W. Jaques was at the Summit

House, Mt. Washington, last week Friday.

—Mr. J. A. Johnson, the forist, has returned

from his visit at St. Andrews, N. B.

—Mr. C. B. Prescott and family are at the

Deer Park Hotel, No. Woodstock, N. H.

—Mr. J. C. Potter and family arrived home

Thursday from their European trip.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Merrill of Waverley

avenue are at the Algonquin, St. Andrews, N. B.

—Rev. C. N. Ransom of Colchester will

preach Sunday morning and evening in

Eliot church.

—Mr. Edward H. Cutler and family will

return next week from their visit at

Winthrop Beach.

—Miss E. M. Williams was among the

arrivals at the Summit House, Mt. Washington,

Tuesday.

—The Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4 o'clock

Sunday afternoon will be addressed by Mr. S. M. Sayford.

—Rev. A. E. Mullett of Charlestown, Mass.,

will preach at Channing church next

Sunday morning.

—The Lincoln school building has been

repainted, and some needed repairs have

been made inside.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edmund W. Converse, Jr.,

will spend a part of August at the

Preston, Beach Bluff.

—Mr. H. B. Day, choir-master of Grace

church, is expected home to-day from a

brief trip to Chicago.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gorr and daughter

are spending two weeks at Sunapee

Lake, New Hampshire.

—The Newton Gas Company has had a

great sale of gas stoves this season, on

account of the hot weather.

—Mr. Francis Murdoch and family are

journeying at Braintree, N. H., and will be

absent until September 1st.

—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs.

Joshua Baker, August 6th, at their summer

residence in Hyannis, Mass.

—The Public Library has had a new

matting laid in the main hall this week,

which is a great improvement.

—The Bigelow school building is being

repainted, and the new floors have been

laid in three of the schoolrooms.

—Mr. Horace H. Soule, Jr., is quite ill

with scarlet fever, although fortunately his

condition is not regarded as serious.

—Mrs. P. S. Hills of Howard, Kansas, is

spending a few weeks with her brother,

Mr. John M. Niles of Arlington street.

—Mr. Winfield S. Hutchinson and family

of Jefferson street are at the Jackson Falls

House, Jackson, N. H., for a few weeks.

—Mr. H. E. Hibbard returns Saturday

from his cottage at Bourne, and Mrs. Hib-

bard and daughter will return the first of

next week.

—Mr. J. Henry Bacon and family have

gone to Linekins, East Boothbay, Me., for

a ten days visit, and Dr. E. B. Hitchcock

will join them on Saturday.

—Washington street, from Waverley

avenue to Park street, is again open for

travel although a good deal of work yet

remains to be done, to put the street in

order.

—Mr. Throckmorton of Boston, Mr. Wm.

Merrill, and Mr. Elbridge Kimball, who has

just returned from his ranch in Kansas,

are among recent arrivals at Hotel Hun-

newell.

—Mr. Thomas H. Atwood and wife of

Syracuse, N. Y., are visiting Mr. and

Mrs. S. F. Atwood. During the parade, Mr.

Atwood was one of the chief marshals, acting

as escort to the President.

—Miss Fuller and Miss Mary W. Fuller

have returned from a trip to Horseneck

Beach, Mass. Mrs. Farley and Mrs. C. N.

Farley, who were of the party, will re-

main for a few weeks longer.

—The Public Library was open on Tues-

day as usual and gave out 23 books, which

was also the number of callers. A large

number of visiting veterans have called

since Tuesday, to look over the library, in

their tour about Newton.

—The summer absentees have begun to

return home, and there are now about as

many returning as go away. The first of

September will see the great majority pack-

ing up for a return in time to get ready for

the opening of the schools.

—Judge R. C. Pittman accompanied by

Mrs. F. A. Pittman, Frank C. Pittman and

Arthur S. Pittman, arrived at the Summit

House, Mt. Washington, Saturday noon.

From there they took the stage to the Glen,

with the intention of making a tour through

the mountains.

—At the Horticultural Hall exhibition in

Boston last Saturday, Mrs. A. D. Wood

took a prize for collection of flowers. C. N.

Brackett for the Acme tomato, another for

the Emory; Geo. F. Stone for tomatoes,

parsley and cucumbers, and C. N. Brackett

several prizes for pears.

—Mrs. Marshall O. Roberts and maid,

Master Roberts and governess, of New

York, arrived at Hotel Hunnewell this

week, having just returned from a season

in London. Mrs. Roberts leaves next week

for Beverly Farms and Newport, and

returns to England the last of September.

—Capt. J. M. Bancroft of Bloomfield,

New Jersey, who is commandant of the

post in Bloomfield and was on the staff of

Gen. Alger in the procession, Tuesday,

having entered the army in the 4th Michi-

gan Infantry, left Newton yesterday. He

has been stopping with his wife and daughter

with Dr. Seales.

—A surprise was given to Mr. Wellington

Hawes, by the clerks of the City Market,

Monday evening, to welcome him home

from Chicago. He was detained down

town after closing hours, and when he

arrived home he found the company assem-

bled, and

"I'm sorry to see you so agitated," said the churndasher to the cream. "Oh, never mind, I'll be butter soon,"—Puck.

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WHAT PROTECTION OFFERS THE FARMER.

THE DUTY ON FARM PRODUCTS.

The duties fixed by our present tariff law are mountainous. They were made so on purpose with the idea that every free born American could step straight from their summit into a heaven of prosperity. But there was some error in the calculation and it turns out that even when looking from that commanding height the real heaven is as far off as ever and obscured by many a cloud. Now, instead of recognizing his error and being content to dwell upon the earth, where God has placed him, our modern protectionist, like the giants of ancient mythology, desires to pile Ossa upon Pelion and thus to scale Olympus. But the giants paid the penalty for their overweening ambition, and there are signs that the thunderbolt which shall overtake the foolhardy protectionist is fast being forged.

The McKinley bill proposes to add yet more to the already overshadowing mountain, and when the lowly tiller of the soil expresses a fear that the shadow thereof may keep the sunlight from his crops, he is told that a special bill shall be reared for his planting. Or in popular language the protected manufacturer or miner says to the farmer, you scratch my back and I'll scratch your back. Vote for a duty on my coal, my salt, my hardware, my everything which you use and I'll vote for a duty on your wool, your potatoes, your eggs, your everything which is for sale. Take hold of your bootstraps and I'll grab mine and now with a long pull, a strong pull and a pull all together see us lift ourselves to the moon! He thinks the farmer never heard of the smart Yankees who stranded on a desert island with nothing but a jack-knife apiece to bless themselves with, made a hundred dollars apiece before night by swapping the same jack-knives. Had he had the making of laws for that island a prohibitory duty on jack-knives would have been the first act to be passed and each Yankee, forbidden to trade with the other, would have been forced to whittle his way to wealth and alone.

In the progress of the tariff agitation inaugurated by President Cleveland in his famous message, the farmers as a class were perhaps the last to give the question much attention or to suspect that the high protective system was doing them an injury. In time, however, they began to look about them and to see things whose existence they had not before suspected, and the sight made them uneasy. Inasmuch as the farmers and farm laborers make up a good half or even more of the voters, they who prosper under a high tariff were quick to see that something must be done to ally the farmers' agitation, to remove or substantially to lower the duties on any considerable portion of what the farmer buys would of course at once relieve the farmer, but that would cost the monopolist something, and had he not already been subjected to the process of frying and losing a deal of "fat" in the campaign of '88?

Compensation for the lubrication thus furnished had been nominated in the bond, the escape from which no modern Portia appeared to point out. And yet here were National Alliances threatening and farmers generally actually beginning to think and there was the very Dickens to pay. In this emergency the ingenious protectionist thought himself of a device to put the farmer to sleep while he should bleed him worse than ever, and this device materialized in the shape of the McKinley bill, which, while adding materially to the duties and therefore to the expense of the farmer, the farmer must buy, tickles him with duties upon what he has to sell, the authors hoping that the farmer deceived by this very shallow pretence will believe that these duties will enable him to sell his surplus at a higher figure and thus be recompensed for what the duties on other commodities cost him.

No more transparent fraud was ever attempted. It is an insult to the farmers' intelligence. It has been tried in reliance upon the fact that the farming class, hard worked in body and with limited opportunity or time for continuous thought, living in sparsely settled communities which cannot often meet to compare notes, will not be bright enough to see through it. But the sham is too obvious and the farmer isn't so much of a stupid as was hoped.

Take a look at some of these gratuities which the McKinley bill offers the farmer. Roughly speaking it doubles the duty on beef, pork, hams and bacon, and mutton. Our imports of all these are utterly insignificant, being mainly from Canada, while our exports are enormous. The exports in fact are about two hundred times the imports. A duty on these things no more affects the price than would a law passed to tax the winds of heaven or every millionth drop of water in the sea. The bill adds 50 per cent. to the present duty on butter and cheese. Here we find the same piece of nonsense. In 1888 we exported 64 million pounds of cheese and imported about 8 million. Foreign cheese does not compete at all with native and the duty merely raises the price to the consumer. And with butter! Why in 1888 we imported about 70,000 pounds while we exported more than 26,000,000 pounds. The imports that year were about one pound to 20,000 produced. How much does that increase of duty help the butter farmer? The bill adds 25 per cent. to the duty on wheat and flour, 50 per cent. on corn, 100 per cent. on corn meal, 50 per cent. on oats and 100 per cent. on oatmeal. Pretty nearly half of all the wheat and corn which the American farmer has to sell, after allowing for his own consumption, is sold to the foreigner. In these grains we are the great exporters of the world. We compete with the pauper labor and effete despotisms and all the rest of it in their own markets and not one of them competes with us in ours. How does a duty on such things help the farmer? How duties on the things he takes in exchange hurt him is easy to see. He is beginning to see it for himself. The bill increases the duty on potatoes from 15 to 25 cents per bushel. Our annual product of potatoes is about 200 million bushels. We import about two million, one per cent., and export 400,000, one fifth as

much as we import. Statistics show that outside of the year when the potato crop has failed in the United States, about all the potatoes imported are those from Bermuda before our own are grown, and those from Nova Scotia late in the winter and during the spring most of these being bought by the farmers themselves for seed. Thus in ordinary years the principal effect of a duty on potatoes is to force the farmer to an increased expense for seed, and to make the consumer pay an enhanced price at a period when it does not benefit the farmer.

Eggs are now free. The McKinley bill puts on a duty of five cents per dozen. The United States produces about 1300 million dozens of eggs per annum and imports about 15 million, a trifle over one per cent. How much effect can a duty on one per cent. have upon the price of the other ninety-nine? Prohibit the importation of eggs altogether and the price of eggs will not be increased by a fraction of a cent.

The bill proposes an increase of the duty on hay from two to four dollars per ton. The United States produces forty-five million tons and imports one hundred thousand, being less than one quarter of one per cent.

The above list could be considerably extended with the same results. Where the duty is put on or increased with the apparent view of enabling the farmer to get more for his crops, it is sure to appear that the product is one of which we are exporters rather than importers or else that the amount of imports is petty when compared with the total production. In either case the duty amounts to nothing as an aid to the farmer.

On the other hand take a glance at what the bill does in the way of increasing prices of what the farmer must buy. It increases the duties on carpets and carpet wool, on woolen cloth, blankets, clothing of all kinds, dress goods, knit goods, on table cutlery and a host of other things and in nearly all cases the lower grades of goods bear the higher rates of duty so the poorer the farmer, the harder he is squeezed.

To be sure it does make sugar free but proposes to tax the farmer his share of two cents per pound bounty for all that can be produced in this country.

So far as the farmer is concerned what is the bill but a delusion and a snare, a palpable fraud, a miserable juggle? However he has the remedy in his own hands. He controls half of the votes of the country. May he be will always be satisfied with a policy that costs him so dear. As President Lincoln said, "For those that like that sort of thing, its just about the sort of thing they like." But the farmer has evidently begun to grow restive. He knows as well as another that the Lord helps those who help themselves. He will be heard from, east and west, north and south, when next the day comes for his reckoning with the lower house of Congress. And when he is fairly roused, small items like force bills and purchase of voters in blocks of five will be like the duties which are offered him on his products which he exports—absolutely no account.

VIEWS OF A REPUBLICAN DIVINE.

THE TARIFF AS IT RELATES TO OUR FUTURE.

(Rev. Dr. Cuyler in Cape Cod Letter.)

New Bedford lies four miles west of us, and Marion a few miles east. At this latter place ex President Cleveland and his wife are summering. I do not belong to the same party with the sturdy ex-president; but he deserves the thanks of his countrymen for some good services which he has rendered. One of them was his brave protest against exorbitant taxation of many of the necessities of life for the benefit of a few capitalists. This great economic question of tariffs has a moral side; and like the "negro question," ought to be kept out of partisan politics. In my boyhood I was educated in Henry Clay's wholesome doctrine of protecting "the infant industries" of America. But after 50 years or more some infants ought to be able to take care of themselves. I hope to see the day when a laboring man can eat free salt on his potatoes, live in a house built of free lumber, clothe his children in free wool, and carry his dinner in a paid made of free tin. The chasm between enormous wealth and abject poverty is widening steadily; and it will do so long as exorbitant high tariffs and "trusts" create a bloated plutocracy at the expense of the masses. Both Bishop Potter and Bishop Huntington of Central New York have lately uttered some very solemn and timely warnings against the growth of a dangerous plutocracy, and heartless monopolies. If some high protective dams be built much higher, a popular revolution may be aroused that will sweep away the legitimate revenues for support of the government. What is worse, a conflict between the favored classes and the masses might arise, which would endanger social order. Plutocracy may yet breed mobocracy.

The invalid must be fed in order that the resisting and recuperating powers be sustained. But this does not mean that ordinary food should be given. The most nutritious and easily digestible food must be used. Mellin's Food possesses both these requirements.

Fremont's Speech at Fort Laramie.

Fremont's speech to the Indians at Fort Laramie has often been spoken of as the turning point in his career. In a sense it was a turning point, since every resolution taken by a very brave man increases his capacity for independent decision of action, but at Fort Laramie there was probably no room for doubt in Fremont's mind whatever, which is scarcely the case with a man on the point of a supremely important step. It will be remembered that the first expedition set out in 1842, Lieutenant Fremont having been married a little over six months when he left Washington to make his preparations for departure. On the 13th of July the expedition reached Fort Laramie. The outlook, if it proceeded, was one well calculated to alarm. The Sioux were in open hostility, and, united with the Cheyennes and Gros Ventres, were scouring the upper country in war parties of great force. At the time they were known to be directly in the path of the expedition. The voyagers were in consternation. When Fremont coolly prepared to go on, Carson as coolly made his will. The explorer was on the point of starting when the chiefs assembled at the fort attempted to detain Fremont on the plea that their young men on the warpath would mistake him for an enemy. Fremont answered by asking the elder chiefs to accompany him, and thus prevent bloodshed. They refused, and almost with his foot in the stirrup Fremont made them a speech which was of the true Leatherstocking ring: "You say that you love the whites. Why, then, have you killed so many this spring?"

You say you love the whites, and are full of many expressions of friendship to us; but you are not willing to undergo the fatigue of a few days' ride to save our lives. We do not believe what you have said and will not listen to you. Whatever a chief among us tells his soldiers to do is done. We are the soldiers of the Great Chief, your father. He has told us to come here and see this country and all the Indians, his children. Why should we not go? Before we came we heard that you had killed his people and ceased to be his children, but we came among you peaceably, holding out our hands. Now we find that the stories we heard are not lies and that you are no longer his friends and children. We have thrown away our bodies and will not turn back. When you told us that your young men would kill us you did not know that our hearts were strong, and you did not see the rifles which my young men carry in their hands. We are few and you are many and you may kill us all, but there will be much weeping in your villages for many of your young men will stay behind and forget to return with your warriors from the mountains. Do you think that our Great Chief will let his soldiers die and forget to cover their graves and before the snows melt again his warriors will sweep away your villages as the fire does the prairie in autumn. See! I have pulled down my white houses and my people are ready. When the sun is ten paces higher we shall be on the march. If you have any thing to tell us you will say it soon. Without waiting for a reply he broke up the conference and in a few minutes was among the hills.

The Senatorial Contest.

(Boston Times.)

In Senator Hosmer's district in Middlesex the waters are moving. Mr. Hosmer has for two years been a most creditable and active senator. He has looked out for the interest of one end of the district as fully as for the other, and he is above the low tone which has been too prevalent among some of the members. Ridiculous custom says that it is his time to retire and make way for someone from the other end of the district. Newton can have the nominee, if she wants him and can unite upon him. Mr. Slogum, who has an excellent record for two years, has been mentioned, but he declines to run on the ground that he cannot afford to take the time from his profession. Candidates are springing up in the city and a lively contest is probable. But the one sensible way out of the difficulty is to nominate Mr. Hosmer for another term. He would unquestionably be more serviceable than any man whom Newton might send, not necessarily because of his ability, but at least because of his experience. Newton has been well treated at his hands. None of her interests have suffered. There is no reason why the choice should go to Newton, but for this absurd idea of rotation and of local pride. Common sense demands the re-nomination of Mr. Hosmer. Foolish local pride and injurious belief in rotation puts forward a Newton man. Which will win?

Why Should there be any Pension Agents?

The pension agents are the Union soldiers' worst enemies. They are entangling many honorable veterans in the meshes of their own boundless rapacity. For the sake of the \$10 fee and other emoluments they are drumming up applicants for pensions as a business, absorbing money that should go to the soldier and bringing the system into contempt. Why should there be any pension agents? As the Toledo Blade says: "There is really no need of the services of any agents in cases under the new disability law. The blanks furnished by the Pension Office are full and explicit. They can be filled up by any intelligent justice of the peace or notary public, whose only charge would be his legal fee for administering the necessary oaths—twenty-five or fifty cents."—Buffalo Commercial (Rep.)

Farmer—"Come out here to the bars, Miss Beaconstreet; I want to show you my new Jersey calf." Miss B. (enchanted)—"Oh, what a lovely little cow! Now, I suppose this is the kind that gives the condensed milk, isn't it?"—Boston Gazette.

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A negro waiter will never acknowledge that he does not know the thing you ask for, nor that they do not keep the article, but he will always lie out of it in some way. Some years ago the learned Dr. Thompson and I went into a restaurant where there were negro waiters, and I gave my order, whereupon the doctor ejaculated: "Duplicate for me," and continued his talk. "What is that you say, sar?" asked the man of color. "Duplicate for me," said the doctor, impatiently. "We have no duplicate today, sar. Wednesday is our regular day for duplicate, sar," said this man and brother. The doctor laughed until I was ashamed of him.—Correspondent of the Portland Argus.

Customer. This suit is all dusty. Shmberg. Ah, mein vrent, dot comes from der schalk vere ve marks dem down so often. The man who keeps still when he hasn't anything to say is a public benefactor.—Somerville Journal.

Mr. Kiddlers. Got a terribly slow one? Stable keeper. Well, Yaas. Mr. K. Regular old procrastinator? Stable keeper. Yaas.

Mr. K. Have him round to my hitch-in' post at 10 o'clock tonight. One of my daughters is goin' to elope, and I've got to make a show of kethin' her.—Judge.

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MR. CANDLER'S CHANCES.

It is a rather curious circumstance that no Congressman since Wm. Claflin has secured a re-election in this district. Col. Lyman succeeded Mr. Candler when the latter was up for a second term before Mr. Ely succeeded Mr. Lyman, but was beaten by Mr. Burnett, and the latter was beaten by Mr. Candler. The district contains so many independent voters, that it is a rather uncertain one, and if the Democrats make a wise nomination this fall, the contest will be uncomfortably close. Mr. Candler has not given the dissatisfaction that he called forth during his first term, and his wise course in regard to the post office fights, leaving the choice in most cases to the people, has avoided arousing any very widespread enmity. There are one or two post office contests yet to come, but it is said that Mr. Candler will follow the same course he did at Newtonville. In other respects Mr. Candler has gone with the other Republican Congressmen and voted as directed by the party caucus. He is not a speaker, and the ninth district is not used to being represented by a man who can make a speech, but several Newton men who have had occasion to visit him in Washington say that he has greater influence there than any other Bay State Congressman. He has not been as prominent as Mr. Lodge, but this is to his credit. In tariff matters, he has followed his party, in spite of the fact that he was once an enthusiastic anti-tariff man, and on the question of raw materials he has not represented the manufacturers of his district or his state. But those who know the tremendous pressure put upon the New England men in the House will realize that only an exceptionally strong man could be expected to withstand it. It is only men like Webster or Sumner who have the courage to differ from their party or at least to express that difference by their votes.

It is evident that the chief fight against Mr. Candler will be on the question of tariff reform, he having come over to the side of the civil service reformers. The tariff reform sentiment has made great strides since the last Congressional election, as such a shrewd Republican leader as Mr. Blaine has been quick to perceive, and the growth in this district has been almost phenomenal, owing to the intelligence of the great majority of the voters. Nevertheless one can never count on politicians and we may find before the campaign is really on, both the party platforms and the Boston Journal as enthusiastic for a reform of the tariff as any of the Democratic papers. Quite as violent some-saults have been made in the past, and it would give the speakers something beside Southern outcries to talk about, which has come to be a good deal of a "chestnut" as one of the Senators is said to have remarked. With Senator Quay out in active opposition to the Force bill, there is very little chance of its passage, not because he is the "boss" of the Senate as well as of Pennsylvania, but because he is one of the shrewdest politicians in the country, and is quick to take advantage of any change in public sentiment, so that he can have the advantage of being on the popular side. With the Force bill defeated by Republican votes, the mouldy Southern question would have to be laid aside for the discussion of live issues. This would be bad for those Congressmen who are accustomed to be so moved by Southern outrages that they forget to define their position on any vital question, but it would be a great gain for those who attend political meetings. All those things will tend to make the campaign a very lively one, and it would not be safe to predict which side would win.

THE GREAT PARADE.

All of Newton was in Boston on Tuesday to see the parade, and the Boston & Albany road found itself severely taxed to provide for the crowds, but the parade itself was worth all the discomfort attending the effort to see it. It is said to have been the largest but one assemblage of old soldiers that have gathered since the war, and it was an interesting sight to watch the different posts, and see the different characteristics displayed. The posts from the great cities with their finely dressed and vigorous looking veterans, were contrasted with the rougher looking posts from the country towns and the far west, although there is no doubt that in actual service the latter had the greater endurance. The veterans were a vigorous looking body of men, taken as a whole, and evidently their war experience had not broken them down, although here and there some less

fortunate comrade hobbled along by means of a crutch, or carried an empty sleeve, or gave evidence that even the comparatively short march was a tax upon his energies. But such were the exception, and the spectators were surprised at the comparative youthfulness of many of the veterans, who seemed not ill fitted for another campaign.

There were many pathetic sights, besides the disabled veterans, the tattered and war worn battle flags, carefully carried by some of the posts, and they never failed to call forth cheers from the great crowds assembled, and great enthusiasm was aroused by the small delegations from the southern states, who were heartily welcomed by the crowd.

Those who saw the parade will have something to remember, as probably there will never be such another assemblage of veterans, as many of them are now old men, and death is busy in their ranks. Every spectator was surprised, however, at the great size of the Massachusetts delegation, which stretched along the streets further than the eye could see, and probably those in the parade did not represent half the veterans in the state, as many of them were too infirm to attend. Those whose memory does not go back to war times gained some idea of the great size of our armies, and the patriotic feeling of the times, which called out such a host to the defence of their country. It was a grand sight, and the immense crowds all along the line of march seemed fully to realize it, as they waited patiently more than half the day, most of them without a chance to rest, and yet the enthusiasm was as great when the last post was marching by, as when the procession began.

GRADE CROSSINGS.

Those who are conversant with the earnest efforts and apparent desire of the Old Colony railroad to abolish grade crossings, are very much surprised that this company should petition to cross a street at grade. This they have done in the laying out of their proposed loop line past Mattapan to connect the Kneeland street and Park square stations. It only proves that the money consideration has great weight with corporations as well as individuals, sometimes warping judgment, until expediency or personal convenience or present economy take the place of the public weal and outweigh the public interest. We are glad that the Railroad Commissioners still have at heart the rights of the public as shown by their course in refusing the crossing at grade.

It is an accepted fact that grade crossings of railroads are dangerous. The public is becoming aroused on the question, the legislature has put itself on record as opposed to these crossings and the railroad companies are showing some desire to comply with these demands, provided in the latter case, that they do not have to pay too large a portion of the expense.

The neighboring city of Cambridge is all alive in discussing this question, the recent decision of the Railroad Commissioners not to allow the approach to Harvard bridge to be made at grade being contrary to the views of some of the powers that be on that side of the Charles. The city council of that city propose to fight the matter and carry it to the courts, but it seems to the on-lookers a foolish proceeding. There should be no crossing at grade. If it makes a bad looking street to raise it, then raise the railroad track and let the street go under. The position of the city of Boston and of the Railroad Commissioners is the only proper one, and should be sustained.

Newton has several dangerous grade crossings which should be abolished, and the work cannot be done too soon. We hope that public opinion will be so outspoken, when the wanderers return from their vacations, that the authorities will be compelled to take the proper steps to have the streets either go over or under the railroad at every crossing in this city.

The talk about shutting out Canadian railroads from the United States is being revived again by Secretary Windom, but probably the business interests of New England will protest just as vigorously as they did when the project was discussed under President Cleveland's administration. At a meeting of the Boston chamber of commerce, a year ago, Mr. Alden Spear stated that "five railroads in Canada are owned and operated entirely by American capital, and any action of the kind proposed will materially interfere with their operation," and the chamber of commerce unanimously adopted resolutions declaring it to be "prejudicial to the interests of merchants and of the railway companies in New England to cancel the present facilities or interfere with the manner of conducting their traffic to and from or through Canada," and deprecating any action "that will interrupt the prompt transportation of merchandise to and from New England points through Canada." Boston is so directly interested in this traffic over Canadian roads, that any interference with it by the government would be a severe blow to the business interests of that city.

SENATOR DAWES made a vigorous plea for the tin baby industry and pleaded that it would not take more than five years of the high duty to establish the tin plate industry in the United States. But judging from the experience of the last twenty years, the tin plate makers would then demand an increase of duty, and assert that they could not live without it. All the other infant industries have followed this plan, and threatened to "bust" things generally if their demands were not granted, and the tax continued for their benefit. If it took five years to establish the tin industry, that would cost the consumers in the

extra tax \$75,000,000, and it is no wonder that some of the senators offered to vote for a bill to pension the members of the Pittsburgh tin plate trust, rather than vote for a tax that would seriously cripple all the canning industries in the country, and also all the other industries which use tin plate, and also be such a burden on the consumer. As these Pittsburgh tin plate trust men are not citizens of Massachusetts it is rather strange that Senator Dawes should feel called upon to go out of his way to work for their interest, and against the interests of his constituents.

ONE almost dreads the coming of the warm season because of the inevitable long list of drowning accidents which accompany it. Nearly every issue some cases are noted in the daily papers, probably the record for last Saturday and Sunday comprised the largest list of the present season. Sixteen drowning accidents were recorded for these two days in New England, and they were about equally divided between boating and bathing, and were in each case the result of carelessness on the part of the victims or of their associates. People who cannot swim persist in plunging into water of whose depth they know not, and others will attempt to sail boats when they know nothing about their proper management. So long as people are thus wilful, so long will such accidents be recorded. It would seem that there are at this time of the year unavoidable perils enough without such additional reckless disregard for life.

THE WALTHAM FREE PRESS has this pertinent advice to Newton in regard to the Senatorship:

"The senatorship this year naturally falls to Newton, but we desire to assure the Republicans of that city that they must unite on some one or they will lose it again precisely as they did two years ago. They cannot expect to go into the convention with a divided house and that the rest of the delegates will fight their battles."

In this connection it might be said that the mention of Mr. A. C. Walworth's name, made by a GRAPHIC correspondent last week, has met with so much favor, that it would not be difficult, apparently, to secure a united delegation in his favor. Why not give up the old local contests and unite on one man, especially such an unexceptionable candidate as Mr. Walworth would be?

Is a market gardener a farmer is the question that is now agitating the state? Senator Hoar says he is and points to his prosperity as a proof that the farmers of Massachusetts are not injured by the tariff or by anything else. Congressman Russell says he is not, and points out that it is only recently that his products have been included in the agricultural statistics. He certainly is not the farmer who once represented the backbone of the state, and who made his record at Concord and Lexington, and in the civil war. The market gardener flourishes most in the shadow of a great city, and the old fashioned farming towns, with their abandoned farms and decreasing population, do not betoken any great agricultural prosperity.

SENATOR Hoar's letter to the Pittsburg editor is one of the happiest epistolary efforts that has appeared in a long time. It disposes of all the charges made against him in such a genial, good-natured way, that no one could help feeling the better for reading it, and if the Senator would only look at party matters in the same way he would be one of the most popular men in the country. It is greatly to Senator Hoar's credit that he has not made himself rich out of public life, although he has probably had the same opportunity as other men, who have gone to Washington poor and come back millionaires.

It looks now as though the Aldermen would take no official vacation this summer. So many of the members are nursing political booms that they evidently fear to absent themselves from the public gaze for more than a week at a time. —Cambridge Chronicle.

Judging from this standard, the members of the Newton Board of Aldermen have no political bees in their bonnets, and still, we trust, some of them are ambitious! But the weather is too hot for active work. They all feel just now as did Henry Clay. They "would rather be right (and comfortable) than to be Pres(M)—ident."

The Grand Army encampment declared Thursday for a service pension by a vote of 174 to 160. The majority report of the committee declared against the service pension scheme, and there were some strong speeches against it, but the majority of the members argued that the government was now rich and prosperous and as the veterans saved it they ought to be liberally paid.

THE sudden death of John Boyle O'Reilly was learned of with sorrow by all classes, who mourned the untimely ending of such a brilliant life. His friends were counted by the thousands, among those who never saw the man, but had been moved by his stirring poems, and his adopted country was glad to number him among her foremost citizens.

THE Framingham Gazette states that M. M. Dessau, a prominent politician of this district, has been arrested at the instance of his wife, for forging a note for one hundred dollars, made payable to Byron Truell, one of Governor Brackett's executive council. Mr. Dessau was held under \$500 bonds for trial at the Framingham police court to-morrow.

THE Brookline Chronicle, Congressman Candler's home organ, thinks that Mr. Candler is one of the leaders of the house, and "worthy to stand in the senate against the best men there." This might be a high compliment if we knew whom the Chronicle considers the best senators.

THE Cambridge Chronicle sent out recently a sixteen page edition, showing the amount of building having been done in that city the past six months with illustrations of several of the public buildings and private residences. It was a fine Souvenir number.

THE PEABODY PRESS, like many other papers that have tried it, finds that a semi-weekly does not pay and will come out this week as an eight page weekly. The Press is an excellent paper and the change will be an improvement.

THE Republican caucuses in Boston will be held September 10th. The date of Newton's caucuses is not yet announced.

There's a peculiar advertisement on our local page this week about "A Fast Black." On first glance we thought it was advertising some horse race, but when we found it was booming ladies' fast black hose at 5c a pair, we realized that it was indeed an advertisement peculiar unto itself. Read it carefully.

MARRIED.

BRIGGS-BREED—At Weston, Aug. 7, by Rev. Calvin Cutler, William P. Briggs of Abundant and Emma A. Breed of Weston.
COLLINS-DOYLE—At Newton, Aug. 10, by Rev. J. F. Gilhearty, Daniel Collins of Marlboro and Ellen Doyle of Newton.
MORGAN-MCGINTY—At Newton, Aug. 10, by Rev. M. Dolan, John Morgan and Mary McGinty.
POWERS-SULLIVAN—At Salem, Aug. 5, by Rev. J. F. Melcher, Michael F. Powers of Newton and Bridget M. Sullivan of Salem.
TRAVIS-KEITH—At Newton Lower Falls, Aug. 10, by Rev. A. P. Sharp, Wm. H. Travis of West and Mary I. Keith of Millstream, N. B.
FITZSIMMONS—At West Newton, Aug. 6, by Rev. A. Barrett, Patrick Fitzsimmons and Mary Daily.
MICHIE-MCKEOWN—At Newton, Aug. 8, by Rev. W. M. Mick, Walter A. Michie and Ellen McKee.
BEMIS-STEARNES—At Newton Centre, Aug. 6, by Rev. W. M. Mick, Walter A. Bemis of Boston and Abbie F. Stearnes of Newton.

DIED.

CURLEY—At Newton Cottage Hospital, Aug. 13, Ellen Curley, 23 years.
CASSIDY—At Newton Centre, Aug. 10, Catherine Cassidy, 83 years.
KELLY—At West Newton, Aug. 10, Wm. F. son of John and Mary Kelly, 1 year, 2 months, 17 days.
TRUSSELLE—At Newtonville, Aug. 12, Geo. H., son of Wm. G. and Sarah Trusselle, 2 years, 1 month, 7 days.

BUSINESS NOTICES

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework, at No. 25 Channing St., a good place for one who proves satisfactory. Apply to Mrs. G. B. Paine.
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DOGS LOST—Two white poodle dogs. The finder will receive a reward by leaving either or both of them at Mrs. Brazier's, 13 Nuttall Place.
LOST—From carriage Sunday afternoon, July 27th, between West Newton and Weston or in Weston, a dark spring overcoat. Finder please leave same at Wright's drug store, West Newton.
TO LET—Tenements in Newtonville, rent from \$12 to \$18 per month. D. P. O'Sullivan, Cambridge St., Telephone, 553 Newtonville.
TO LET—A nice dwelling house on Edgely St. in Newtonville by the subscriber who lives on the premises and will show it to any needing a good house. Wm. Learned.
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BOSTON, Aug. 5, 1890.

The Board of Directors having this day declared that the INCOME GOLD BONDS of this company are entitled to 25 PER CENT. INTEREST, in full, from result of operations for the income period covered by Coupon No. 1, ended June 30, 1890, such interest will be paid on and after Sept. 1, prox. at the offices of

National Bank of North America, Boston.

Union Trust Company, New York.

Savings Brothers & Company, London.

The old fixed charges of the company, pertaining prior to Oct. 1, 1889, and settled in full in the Reorganization, having absorbed all the net earnings for the first three months of the income year close d June 30, 1890, there were no revenues applicable to payment of interest on special income bond coupons, and all coupons, scrip or registered bonds dated to draw interest, if earned, from July 1, 1889, will be entitled to the same rate of interest in full as the general class, or 2 1/2 per cent. on the result of operations for the nine months ended June 30, 1890.

All COUPONS will be surrendered to the agency making payment.

Holders of COUPON SCRIP of the above bond issue entitled to interest Sept. 1, should present their scrip certificates, with coupons attached, and still, we trust, some of them are ambitious! But the weather is too hot for active work. They all feel just now as did Henry Clay. They "would rather be right (and comfortable) than to be Pres(M)—ident."

Interest on REGISTERED BOND CERTIFICATES will be remitted to holders by the Union Trust Company of New York.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

Pursuant to and in execution of the power and authority contained in the mortgage given by John Flood and Kate E. Flood, wife of said John Flood, in her own right, both of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, to Bathsheba S. Robinson, of said Newton, dated July 3rd, 1885, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds in Book 1710, page 338, which mortgage has been duly assigned to me, for breach of condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, I shall sell at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, which are those described in said mortgage, or in the highway adjoining said premises, on TUESDAY the Second day of September, A.D. 1890, at four o'clock in the afternoon, the following described parcel of land, described in said mortgage as follows:—"A certain lot of land with the buildings thereon, situated in the County of Middlesex, and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the premises at the corner of Centre Street and Pearl Street, running westerly on line of said Pearl Street two hundred and three and fifteen one-hundredths (203 15 100) feet, more or less, to land of Henry Fuller, thence turning and running on line of said Henry Fuller's land, as the fence now stands, northerly one hundred and eighty and fifty one-hundredths (180 51 100) feet, more or less, to other land of said Fuller; thence running easterly on line of said Fuller six and one-hundred (6 1 100) feet to stable; thence northerly by said stable and line of said Fuller sixty six and 17-100 (66 17 100) feet to land of said Fuller; thence easterly along the line of said Fuller's land one hundred and thirty and 13-100 (130 13 100) feet, more or less, to line of Centre street; then turning and running south on line of Centre street one hundred and seventeen and 75-100 (117 75 100), more or less, to corner of Pearl street and point of beginning. It being the same premises conveyed to me by deed of grantee of even date with this mortgage and subject in all respects to the conditions and restrictions named therein; except the mortgage of fifteen hundred dollars which the grantor as unmes and engages to pay, and also further agrees not to make any mortgage, nor to convey the premises until this mortgage is paid, without consent in writing of mortgagee."

Five hundred dollars cash required to be paid by the purchaser at the time of sale. Terms made known at the time and place of sale.

For further particulars inquire of the auctioneer Joseph W. Roher, 27 Kilby Street, Boston.

GRENVILLE H. NORCROSS, Assignee of said mortgage.

Boston, August 7th 1890.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,

MIDDLESEX, ss. PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs at law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Sarah Frances Fletcher late of Newton in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Francis Murdoch who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or securities on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of September next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Newton Graphic printed at Newton the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventh day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

CHARLES H. TYLER, Temporary Register.

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NEWTONVILLE.

—Mrs. H. M. Soule is at the Uplands, Bethel, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Prince are summering at Camden, Me.

—Dr. and Mrs. Hopkins return from New York City next week.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Sullivan left here for Bradford, Vt., Monday.

—Miss Josephine Warren is a guest at the Alhambra, Brooklyn, N. Y.

—Mrs. B. W. Wells has gone to Winchendon, Mass., for a few weeks.

—Mr. Leonard Heffan is among summer tourists at London Village, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. W. French are spending their vacation at Palmer, Mass.

—Ex-Alderman and Mrs. N. H. Chadwick returned Saturday from Bradford, Vt.

—Fred Leavitt's pile of votes has now passed the 1000 mark and he is still hustling.

—Councilman Mead is here from his summer home, Rindge, N. H., for a few days.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Beal are spending their vacation at the Standish House, Duxbury.

—Mr. J. C. McIntyre and family have returned from the Lincoln House, Swampscott.

—Austin Redpath has returned from a pleasant vacation passed at Waterville, N. H.

—Miss Etta Kinder, daughter of Charles Kinder, has been passing the week at Nantasket.

—"Nick" Jones is now employed by C. W. Moorehouse, the Newton hardware dealer.

—Miss Payne and Miss Mary Payne are registered at the Seashore House, Old Orchard, Maine.

—Mrs. A. Williams was among our local people who witnessed the great parade in Boston Tuesday.

—John Payne's store was prettily decorated with bunting in honor of the G. A. R. on Tuesday.

—Willie Hackett is enjoying his vacation at the Natural History camp for boys at Lake Quinsigamond.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Chapman returned from their sojourn at the Atlantic House, Nantasket, this week.

—Charles Ward Post 62, is credited with some of the best marching seen in the great parade in Boston Tuesday.

—Capt. Higgins, Messrs. Sherman, Horrigan and T. C. Nickerson viewed the parade in Boston Tuesday.

—Dr. Rowe of Minneapolis, one of the G. A. R. boys, has been entertained this week by Capt. C. E. Davis.

—Mr. A. T. Sylvester's family returned in one of Hill's carriages from the G. A. R. parade in Boston Tuesday.

—Mr. Charles E. Hutchinson has returned from Popponesset Beach, Me., where he has been spending his vacation.

—Officer T. C. Clay has had as his guest this week his brother-in-law, a G. A. R. boy, and a resident of Norwood.

—The Chieftains league No. 5, held a meeting in Tremont Hall, Monday evening. Routine business was transacted.

—Mr. George T. Coppins entertained a St. Louis Comrade and other friends at the clubhouse, Wednesday afternoon.

—Mr. E. M. Rumery and family and Mrs. E. A. Adams were registered at the Summit House, Mt. Washington, last Saturday.

—Postmaster Turner will return from Lacoda, N. H., where he has been enjoying a few days' rest, Saturday evening.

—Mr. J. G. Kilburn has been elected treasurer of Chieftain's League 5, I. O. R. M., in place of George P. Cook, resigned.

—The Newton Co-operative Building Company is figuring on four new houses and will probably get contracts for two or more.

—The new series of the Newton Co-operative Bank opens Monday September 1st. Now is the time to subscribe for shares.

—The citizens feel badly because the stars and stripes were not floated to the breeze from the flagstaff in the square on Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Chapman, Miss E. N. Chapman and Master Samuel Chapman are among guests at the Atlantic House, Nantasket.

—The upper portion of the flagstaff has been taken down and the stars and stripes were not displayed in its accustomed place on Tuesday.

—Miss H. E. Kingsbury was one of those who enjoyed the seventh Universalist excursion from Boston to the summit of Mt. Washington, Tuesday.

—Mr. Austin R. Mitchell who has been in town for a few days, returned to Poland, Me., yesterday, where he will remain with his family for a few weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Trueselle have the sympathy of many friends in the loss of their baby boy—George Humphrey Trueselle, aged 2 years, 1 month.

—Miss Jennie Wadleigh, daughter of Mr. Gardner Wadleigh, is here on a visit from the West. Miss Wadleigh is located in Chicago where she has resided for several years.

—The Newtonville store keepers, as a rule, closed their business places Tuesday and went to Boston to see the parade.

—Rev. C. Ellwood Nash and family of Minneapolis left for home Wednesday. Rev. Mr. Nash has been occupying the pulpit in the Universalist church during the absence of Rev. E. A. White.

—The funds for the decayed flag staff in the square were contributed by citizens who think that the city should replace it with a new one, thereby getting square with the people in the matter of generosity.

—Miss Lizzie C. Allen, teacher of voice and violin, will resume lessons, Tuesday, Sept. 2nd. Letters can be sent to Box 22, Newtonville, P. O., or interviews can be had at her residence, Central avenue, off Turner street.

—The absentees from Newtonville this season are legion and many familiar faces are missed from among us. Soon, however, the summer pleasure seekers will return as the dawn of September is upon us suggestive of school days and a more settled condition of affairs.

—A fair will be held on the verandah of Mrs. Charles Curtis' residence, Otis street, Saturday afternoon, August 23rd. It has been arranged and will be carried out under the direction of Carrie Curtis and Lillie Garrison, and the proceeds will be devoted to the uses of the Newton Cottage Hospital.

—Officer Soule has been entertaining some of the veterans this week, among them his brother, Quartermaster G. O. D. Soule of Thatcher Post 111, Portland, Me., and Comrade E. C. Banks of Post 98, Freeport. Another of his guests was Mr. Arthur M. Soule of Shepley camp 4, S. V., of Portland.

—Many visitors to the little candy store around the corner have inspected a piece of Comrade Bradshaw's 1812 hardback to which a miniature canteen is attached, forming a singular but suggestive badge of historical import. The cake of hardback bears the insignia of the Third Division, 5th Army Corps.

—Miss Gertrude Jones entertained a pleasant company of young friends Wednesday evening at the residence of her mother on Washington street, the occasion being her 17th birthday which was in this manner very agreeably celebrated. Music and the usual social features were enjoyed.

—Councilman Collins kept open house at the Hotel Reynolds Tuesday and entertained many Newton citizens during the day, among others President E. J. Hyde of the common council and party. In the evening, following the parade, he gave a reception to Charles Ward Post 62, entertaining the comrades in a liberal manner. A fine collation was served, followed by the usual social features. Alderman Pettet was present and gave the veterans a cordial greeting and reception.

WEST NEWTON.

—Leon P. Dutch is spending his vacation at Seaport, Me.

—Miss E. E. Simmons is spending her vacation at Newport.

—George Lane, River street, has returned from a trip to Cape Cod.

—Miss Ethel Perrin is spending a few weeks at Nonquit, Mass.

—Miss Agnes Chase is passing a few days at York Beach, Me.

—Mrs. F. F. Raymond and children have returned from the seashore.

—Mr. Joseph Owens and family returned this week from Sandwich, Me.

—Mrs. Elizabeth T. Eldridge is enjoying a tour in the White Mountains.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elzeaz J. Ethier will be at home Thursdays in September.

—Edison Holmes, a son of Oliver Holmes, is here on a visit from Johnson, Vt.

—Edward and A. D. Upham are at the Eagle Mountain House, Jackson, N. H.

—Mr. Samuel N. Waters and family, Webster Park, have returned from Winthrop.

—Mrs. Noyes of Whitefield, Me., is the guest of Mrs. Seth Davis, Watertown street.

—Everett Palmer and a party of friends enjoyed a good day's fishing at Westboro, yesterday.

—See advertisement of Miss Isabelle Campbell. Reasonable prices for table boarders.

—Mr. Winslow Fiske has returned from Ashburnham, where he has been enjoying a brief rest.

—Mr. Whittlesey and family of Cherry street, have gone to Connecticut for a two weeks' visit.

—Mrs. Luke Davis and her sisters, the Misses Hale, are spending a few weeks in Hubbardston.

—John Ayres will enjoy a trip to New York City next week, where he will remain for several days.

—Mrs. K. A. Gould and Miss Gould were recent guests at the Flume House, North Woodstock, N. H.

—Mr. W. H. French has returned from Westport Harbor, where he has been enjoying excellent fishing.

—Mrs. E. B. Wilson and Miss Josephine Wilson of Otis street have returned from a short visit to York Beach.

—F. W. Richardson, who has been quite ill, will leave here Saturday for Derry, N. H., where he will recuperate.

—W. J. Florence, the genial janitor of the Second Congregational church, is enjoying his vacation in New York City.

—Mrs. and Miss Seccombe returned this week from Lucerne, N. Y., where they have been passing their vacation.

—Mr. William Bosworth, Mrs. E. H. Thompson and Miss Alice Thompson, are summering at Great Head, Winthrop.

—Mrs. Fred L. Felton gave a charming lawn party at her residence on Chestnut street, last week, Wednesday afternoon.

—Mr. Irving I. Doane and wife will return this week from Lawrence, N. S., where they have been enjoying their vacation.

—Miss Mary E. Reardon, the obliging assistant at the post office, has gone to Nictaux Falls, N. S., where she will enjoy a two weeks' rest.

—Mr. Robert Wilder Bush, formerly of this city, was among the Plant Steamship Company's passengers to Bar Harbor, last Saturday.

—Mr. Geo. Saunders is taking G. K. Stacy's place on the day off, the latter being at Newton Centre taking Engineer Colby's place, who is away on his vacation.

—Miss M. Grace Woodward of Bradford, Vt., who has been spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. E. B. Wilson, Otis street, will soon return to her Green Mountain home.

—Charles W. Hathaway of Minneapolis, chief of the brotherhood of locomotive engineers on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul system, will be the guest of next week of Mr. and Mrs. Winslow Fiske.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bailey of Haverhill, N. H., were visitors at Mr. E. B. Wilson's, Otis street, during the past week. Mr. Bailey is a Grand Army man and came down to attend the National Encampment.

—The Newton B. B. A. nine play in Concord with the representative club of that town Saturday afternoon. Bent will pitch for the visitors and a good game is expected. A large will leave the square about 1:30 o'clock.

—The St. Bernards will go to Sawin's Grove, South Natick, tomorrow, where they will play a game with the Elliotts. Ball club for a purse of \$50. A large will leave the square, corner of Washington and Waltham streets at 1 o'clock.

—Mr. John L. Damon of the Damon Bros., who has been "under the weather" for several days, has been obliged to relinquish his labors at the Atlantic House, Nantasket, and has returned with his family to his residence in this city.

—The Boston Herald in its Sunday issue printed an interesting illustrated article relative to the Chelsea Soldiers' Home. One of the illustrations depicted the interior of the room which was tastefully furnished by the Newton Ladies' Home Circle.

—The rooms of the Ladies' Aid Association, 38 West Chester Park, Boston, were tastefully decorated yesterday by the Newton Ladies' Home Circle, the beautiful floral arrangement of the interior being carried out under the direction of Mrs. E. W. Wood.

—John Higgins, residing on Cherry street place, has been missing from his home since Monday, Aug. 4. His family and friends are becoming alarmed and are anxious to learn his present whereabouts. The missing man is 30 years of age, medium height and complexion.

—John Haley saw a paragraph in the Globe a few days ago that the chief of police of Louisville, Ky., wanted him, and he communicated at once with Lieut. Daly of police headquarters. It is understood that a relative of his in Kentucky has left him considerable property. —Boston Globe.

—Miss Ethel Damon, daughter of Mr. G. A. Damon, manager of the Atlantic House, Nantasket, entertained the little misses and masters among the guests at the hotel at a dinner party, given at a special table, last week. Miss Ethel presided at the head of the table, and did the honors with grace and dignity.

—Rev. Dr. Hubbell of Buffalo, N. Y., will preach in the Congregational church, West Newton, next Sunday morning at 10:45. In the evening at 7 o'clock a sermon appropriate to the recent gathering in Bos-

ton of the G. A. R. The Charles Ward Post are expected to be present. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

—The summer school at Crescent Beach has been fairly well attended during the past two weeks at the Institute building. Mr. and Mrs. George A. Walton have given great satisfaction in their teaching. Hon. John W. Dickinson, who has just returned from lecturing at Chautauque, gave a series of lectures this week on "Psychology—The Mind and How to Educate It."

—The Newton Cottage Hospital again placed Mrs. Elizabeth T. Eldridge in its list of benefactors, where she has so often appeared already. This time Mrs. Eldridge gives the most finely equipped ambulance obtainable. Every new contrivance for the comfort of the sick and wounded is provided. One of her recent gifts to this same institution was a check for ten thousand dollars.

—The St. Bernards, leaders in the literary league, visited Waltham last Saturday afternoon, and were defeated by the Walthamites in an exciting game. Darkness caused the game to be called at the end of the eighth inning. The score:

Innings 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
Walthams 0 0 0 1 1 2 0 7
St. Bernards 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 4

—Sergeant John Ryan was detailed to carry the colors of Gen. Alger in the great parade in the event of the absence of Department Orderly Pettibone. The latter arrived in season and carried the commander-in-chief's flag. Yet deserved honor was conferred upon our Newton veteran soldier and policeman. Officer Ryan's service in the volunteer and regular army is worthy of all honor and respect.

—An informal meeting of the overseers of the poor was held last Thursday afternoon on the site of the new almshouse location and it was decided to construct the barn a distance of at least 150 feet from the main building, especially in view of greater safety in case of fire. Messrs. Warren, Daniels, Payne and Russell of the board met and passed across the river from the almshouse site in a boat prior to the meeting and were shown over a portion of the new filtering basin by Alderman Harbach.

—A Globe reporter has interviewed Sergeant Ryan and endeavored to explain an error in its published account of the parade. It states in the article that a number of Boston and New York papers incorrectly reported Sergeant Ryan as Gen. Alger's color bearer. He had been detailed to act in that capacity in the event of the non-arrival of Orderly Pettibone. Pettibone arrived and carried the colors and it was correctly reported in the Herald and other Boston papers.

—A case of interest to landlords and tenants, that of the new building vs. Albee, decided last week by Judge Kennedy, in favor of the defendant, it being held that where the plaintiff, a landlord, in the middle of June wrote the defendant, a tenant, that the latter would be increased to the beginning of the month of August, and the tenant moved out on July 31, but did not surrender the keys until August third, the latter could not be held for the rent for the months of August and September claimed by the plaintiff, who contended that the failure to deliver the keys to the landlord was an acceptance of the new contract and that the tenant was bound to give a month's notice before giving up the tenancy. George T. Lincoln was counsel for the defendant.

—There was a "quiet" celebration with a noisy game of ball at Pine Farm, Tuesday, between the home favorites and the New Boys of West Newton. The game was somewhat loose was closely contested throughout, the teams being in skill very evenly matched. There were, of course, "features" among them, a one, two, three whitewash for the favorites in the sixth inning, a triple and two double plays at the expense of the visitors, and perhaps most noticeable, the fact that "baw" entered quite as much into the game as the necessary and innocent sphere. As a whole the visitors are to be commended for their gentlemanly conduct, the courtesy of Capt. McHardy being noticeable. The score by innings:

News Boys 2 8 1 1 4 0 4 0—20
Favorites 6 2 1 7 1 0 0 5—22

—Mr. T. B. Fitz has been interviewed and paid the following tribute to the late John Boyle O'Reilly: "I have known him intimately for a number of years, and I never knew a man who took such a strong hold of the sympathies of one as he. His strong personality of character; his intense earnestness; when anything concerning humanity was at issue, his generosity, especially in wishing to measure a man or a method more by good qualities rather than by anything adverse, have served to elevate and educate those who came in contact with him. Although an Irishman by birth, and having the keenest sympathy for the betterment of the condition of the Irish people, still he was intensely American. He was fond of repeating over and over again in public and in private, that there was no land like America, no government like that of our own here, and accordingly it was the duty of every American citizen, whether native or foreign born, to prize their citizenship and honor their country by always being prudent. I believe he will be missed as no man of our race in America will be missed."

—Over ninety different patterns of Chamber Sets" is the latest announcement from Palmer's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, Boston. The number can scarcely be realized unless one visits the extensive ware-rooms, which contain the largest collection of miscellaneous furniture in this country.

WABAN.

—Miss Minnie Locke will with friends in Cambridge and will return the first of September.

—The highwaymen are at work grading and widening the square about Waban station and vicinity, and it is hoped that before any more building is done Beacon street will be widened.

—The employees of the Gas Company have laid over three miles of gas pipes in this section recently, and the pipes are now laid as far as the Waban bridge, and are to be extended into the new section in a few days, and also up to Moffatt's Hill, and up Chestnut street towards Upper Falls.

—It is evident that Gen. Miles does not think that we have any business kicking up too much of a row over the Behring sea affair—at least not so long as the British war vessels come to anchor in our harbor and knock to pieces all our Pacific-coast cities, and raise the mischief generally. The 3,000,000 or so seals that have their summer residents on our territory are not worth it. And then it costs so much to feed these same seals. An authority, whose testimony appears along with that of Gen. Miles, at least records that Mr. Miles' committee have learned about our relations with Canada, says that these seals eat and otherwise destroy 40,000,000 pounds of food fish per day. Very likely the supply is fully equal to the demand so long as the seals have no competitors in their fisheries. But how will it be if, as is proposed, a portion of the North Atlantic fishing fleet is transferred to the Pacific coast? In that event, according to this same authority, it may be necessary to drive out the seals in order to save the fish for the fishermen. Therefore these seals, because of which the coast near getting us into trouble with Great Britain, if reports be true, are in several senses an expensive luxury.—Springfield Republican.

—Trouble is easy borne when everybody gives it a lift.

—Success depends upon how much one can bear without becoming puffed.

The Saturday Half Holiday.

When the Saturday half holiday law was enacted there were some pessimistic persons who predicted that its operation would not only injure business, but would lead to an increase in crime because of the idleness of thousands of working people. Strange to say, the police records show a decreased percentage of arrests since the law went into effect.

Although the observance of the day has steadily increased, the disposition to commit breaches of the peace on the part of the working people, who have been thrown upon their own resources for self amusement, has been curbed rather than stimulated. It was the purpose of the law to afford wage earners an opportunity to enjoy, on the threshold of the sacred day of rest, a half day's recreation during the summer months. Two years' experience has proved that the men for whose benefit the law was passed have apparently spent their time in peaceable excursions and pastimes. The public parks in this city and in Brooklyn have been crowded on Saturday afternoons as they never were before, and the carrying capacity of excursion boats has been tested to its utmost limit.

Bankers and brokers who were opposed to the innovation when the half holiday law was proposed have not only become reconciled to the new order of things, but most of them now welcome the holiday with undisguised pleasure. In the down town business centers there is a growing tendency to make the whole of Saturday a holiday during the summer months. Many Wall street brokers do not attempt to do any business on Saturday, but take cheerful leave of their offices on Friday night and dismiss business cars from their minds until Monday morning. This same spirit prevails also among the dry goods dealers. All of this goes to show that the American citizen is fully able to enjoy a holiday when it is forced upon him by the law.—New York Times.

Private Balloon Parties.

The fashion of private balloon voyages has taken. A company has produced its first aerial ship as prosaically as if it were a summer cab. The aeronauts are careful navigators. Nadar was the originator of parties of pleasure in space, and his first—and last—trip, where Madame Georges Sand and other celebrities were among the travelers, had a well high fatal ending in Belgium. That balloon hangs on the wall of his studio.

A gentleman or lady now engages a balloon for a day trip and invites friends. The cost is 1,200 francs; if the trip be continued during the night, said to be the most romantic part of the ascension, the price is 500 francs more. All the comforts of a home are secured in the spacious car, and pigeons are liberated in the empyrean regions with quilltail dispatches for friends below. The higher the rise the safer and pleasanter the trip.—Paris Cor. Panama Star and Herald.

Ashamed of Their Own Jest.

On the Fourth of July, after the air ship ascension had proved a failure, a man approached P. C. Campbell, the inventor, and said, "Mr. Campbell, that was an excellent ascension; allow me to express my appreciation of it," and he deposited a penny in Mr. Campbell's hand. Mr. Campbell gravely thanked him, and a second man came up and went through the same proceeding and was followed by a third. Then they all enjoyed a hearty laugh. The inventor calmly looked at the three coins and remarked, "Well, you can see that I have some cents, and before I give in I will convince you that I have considerable." The trio were so impressed with his reply that they apologized for their rudeness and expressed their belief in him.—Buffalo Express.

For the Black Sea Fleet.

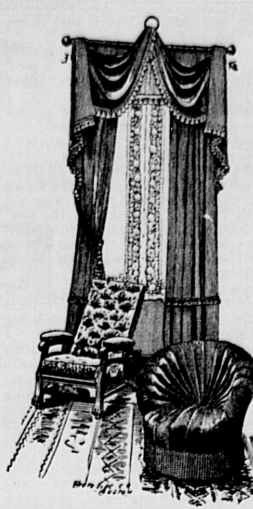
Our Odessa correspondent telegraphs: "The three new torpedo boats which have been built in Germany for the Russian government are to be added to the Black sea fleet. It is not improbable that the ports may raise an objection to the passage of these vessels through the Bosphorus, although, of course, they will not receive their armaments before reaching Sebastopol. One of the torpedo boats, the Adler, attained a speed of over twenty-six knots on her trial trip at Cronstadt. The Amacia and the Kozarsky are built on somewhat similar lines to the Adler, but according to the contract will not exceed a speed of twenty-one knots.—London News.

"Looking Backward" is beginning to bear fruit. Twelve young ladies of Indianapolis, employed in stores and offices, have rented a suite of twelve rooms and are living on the Bellamy plan. Each pays into the treasury \$3 per week, and a cook is employed to prepare meals. In addition each is assessed 25 cents for a contingent fund, which is held to meet unusual expenses. The young ladies room in couples, and each week two of them are appointed purveyors. The only time they are all together is at supper, but they are contented and enjoy their way of living.

A remarkable freak of lightning was observed near Martin's Point, S. C., lately. A negro woman was sitting in her house with a 2-year-old child in her lap. Her husband was standing on the opposite side of the room. A thunder storm was in progress and a stroke of lightning descended upon the house. The child was instantly killed, its father severely, perhaps fatally, shocked, while the mother was not injured or even shocked by the stroke.

A little child in New York, in falling out of a second story window, grasped two pillows that were airing on the sill, and when she struck the ground the pillows were underneath her and she escaped injury. The place where she fell was paved with cobblestones, and if the child had not fallen on the pillows she would probably have been killed.

A bicyclist recently rode down Mount Washington, making the journey—about eight miles—in an hour and without accident.



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A Mother Receives her Son's Bible.

At the battle of Fredericksburg a Confederate soldier picked up a Bible inclosed in a mahogany case inscribed with the name of "Richard Thurston, 13th M. V. M." Last winter the Confederate gave the historic book to the Baltimore Grand Army Post. After they had it awhile they decided to return it, if possible, to some of the relatives of the dead Union soldier. Communication was opened with Gen. Dalton, Adjutant General of Massachusetts, who looked the matter up and informed the Baltimore post that Thurston's mother was still alive and resided at Leominster, Mass. Mrs. Thurston was to have come to the headquarters of Post 4, 11 Beacon street, Wednesday, but was prevented by illness. The Commander of the Baltimore post, who had charge of the matter, mailed the precious book to Mrs. Thurston yesterday morning.

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MR. MEAPHY'S GHOST.*

Near the end of a long summer day, toward the close of a London season, Mr. Meaphy was alone in his studio in London. It was a large apartment, with alcoves, in one of which a number of portraits and pictures were hung upon the walls, with the usual bric-a-brac of an artist's reception room. This room was entered directly from a landing-place at the head of a broad flight of stairs leading down into the street and past a small porter's room, for the studio was in a public building occupied by a number of persons.

Coming into his reception room from a smaller cabinet, in which he was putting away some papers, Mr. Meaphy was startled to see a lady quite unknown to him, young, of good figure and carriage, dressed quietly in perfect taste and in the fashion, who was walking around the room and inspecting the pictures.

Mr. Meaphy approached and saluted her, observing as he did so that, while she was unquestionably fine looking, her countenance was unusually pale, and her eyes, which she fixed upon him as he spoke to her, had a singular and, as he afterwards described it, almost "uncanny" expression.

She made no explanation whatever of her presence, but at once asked him whether he could paint immediately a portrait of her for a dear friend to whom she wished to send it as soon as possible.

Mr. Meaphy replied that he would be happy to do so if it were in his power, but that he was on the point of leaving London for a round of visits in the country; that he had many professional engagements, which would probably occupy him during the remainder of the year, and that he could not at all see his way clear to do what she was so good as to ask him to do.

The lady treated these objections with polite indifference and persisted, saying that it would not be necessary for Mr. Meaphy that she should sit to him. "You will not forget my face," she said with a singular intonation, "and if I am not misinformed as to your talents, you can make a sketch of me now, from which you could paint such a portrait as I wish."

Mr. Meaphy thanked her for her good opinion, but again excused himself. "Nothing would do," she said, "but the lady finally carried her point so far that Mr. Meaphy—he could hardly say why, and certainly against his own will and judgment—consented to undertake the commission."

"It will be necessary for you," he said, "to find some time during the day when I can give you my sittings, and if you will oblige me with your name and address I will see what I can do and will let you know."

"That is hardly necessary," said the lady, "I will be here at any time you may appoint."

Mr. Meaphy looked at her with astonishment. "But I don't see how you can be here unless I let you know when that time will be."

"I shall have no difficulty about that," said the lady almost petulantly. "In the meantime I will send you an engraving of a face which I am told strongly resembles my own—so strongly that it has sometimes been mistaken for a portrait of me. This will serve to keep me in your mind," she said, smiling, "and, by the way, I wish you would try to make a sketch of it now."

Puzzled by the lady's manner as much as by her words, he quietly said:—"Oh, excuse me, I must get my address book, and we will arrange matters;" and with this he turned his back for a moment to the lady, and, going to a desk, opened it to find the book of which she spoke. When he turned again, with the book in his hand, to his profound astonishment the lady had vanished.

The door of the studio was shut, as it had been during the whole interview. It was a heavy door and closed with a strong spring lock. It seemed to Mr. Meaphy hardly possible that she could have been opened and shut, unheard by him, but he instantly ran to it, opened it, and looked down the broad flight of stairs to the street, and so rapidly that it seemed scarcely imaginable a lady could have got out of the house before he was upon the stairs.

No trace of her, however could be seen. He ran hastily down and questioned the porter, who happened to be standing near his window, which commanded a complete view of the entrance to the building. His answer, however, was that he had never seen a lady go out of the house, and he had not seen any lady go out, but declared that, so far as he knew, no lady had entered the building for more than an hour before.

The man looked at Mr. Meaphy as he told him this with a curious expression, which satisfied Mr. Meaphy that he was not mistaken. He took this roll of paper up carefully, opened it, and, to his unspeakable astonishment, found himself confronted with an engraved portrait of a lady bearing a most marvelous resemblance in the form of the head, manner of wearing the hair, and the features of his mysterious visitor of the previous evening.

This engraving on examination, he found had been taken out of one of the handsome annuals which had been in vogue many years before—I think from one of Heath's "Book of Beauty." It was a portrait of a young lady of rank celebrated for her beauty, the daughter of an English earl, who, many years before the time of which I am now speaking, had been married to a Hungarian nobleman of great wealth and of historic name. It was quite impossible to suppose any connection between the original of this portrait and Mr. Meaphy's strange visitor beyond the fortuitous resemblance which impressed him so strongly. Calling up the porter, Mr. Meaphy asked him by whom this portrait had been lent. The porter replied:—

"I have no idea. I never saw it before."

"Did you not bring it with the last mail?"

"No, sir, it didn't come with the last mail."

Now, there was no letter-slit in the door of the studio. The studio itself had been locked and the key in the porter's possession during the whole time.

The man protested solemnly that he had only come into the room to bring up the mail, that the roll of paper was not carried up by him, and that to the best of his recollection, though upon this point he could not be positive, no such roll of paper had been on the desk when he left the letters there.

Mr. Meaphy finally took the paper and put it into his despatch-box, marvelling not a little in his mind as to the meaning of these inexplicable performances.

Gradually, however, the whole matter passed out of his mind, and some weeks afterwards, while staying with a friend in one of the midland counties, he took the engraving up and—he could not exactly say why—felt suddenly moved to make a sketch from memory of the lady whose face it recalled to him so vividly. He prepared his materials, went to work, found the picture growing rapidly and satisfactorily under his hand, and grew so interested in the occupation that before he laid his brushes down he had made what seemed to himself a very good and striking sketch which might well serve as a basis for a finished portrait. He put his sketch, with the engraving, back into his despatch-box, and again the subject passed out of his mind.

Two or three weeks passed by. Visiting another friend—in Yorkshire, near the Derbyshire line—Mr. Meaphy found himself seated at dinner next to a gentleman of an old family and of a good estate in Derbyshire, who had entered into correspondence with him some years before with an eye to inducing him to come down into Derbyshire and paint a portrait there of an invalid child of his to whom he was very much attached, and who could not conveniently be carried up to London.

Finding Mr. Meaphy near his residence, this gentleman entreated him to come over at the end of his Yorkshire visit, pass two or three days with him and paint this portrait. It was not very convenient for Mr. Meaphy to do this, but such was the urgency of the Derbyshire man that he finally gave way.

"I shall be going home myself in a day or two," said the Derbyshire man, who was visiting a neighbor of Mr. Meaphy's host in Yorkshire, "and I will have everything ready for you. You will take the train to such a station (naming it), change carriages, and such a journey of twenty minutes after that you will find yourself at a little way station, where my carriage will be in waiting for you and bring you to my house."

It was a gray, rainy morning when Mr. Meaphy took the train to make his trip into Derbyshire. He found at the station an empty first-class carriage for him, but his shawls and bags into it and closed the door. Putting on his travelling cap and taking out a novel Mr. Meaphy settled himself back into a corner of the carriage for a comfortable, quiet hour in the train.

Long before the mishaps of Col. Valentine Baker startled and scandalized the world the unprotected female has made herself a terror to sedate and solitary male travellers on the English railways. Great, therefore, was the disgust of Mr. Meaphy when just before the train was about to start he observed a lady enter the carriage door and handed in a lady, with the usual paraphernalia of umbrellas, bags and shawls.

The train moved off, and Mr. Meaphy after awhile, glanced around from his corner, became aware that his lady was looking at him steadily through a pair of veils, which obscured and blurred the outlines of her countenance. It is unpleasant to be fixed in this way from behind a veil, and Mr. Meaphy felt unusually and uncomfortably restless under the infliction.

His uneasiness was soon removed, however, for the lady, throwing her side, revealed to him the face of his mysterious visitor of the summer. She seemed not in the least surprised at finding him in the carriage, but very quietly asked him whether he was going to such a place (naming the residence of the gentleman to whom he was about to visit), and expressed her satisfaction at meeting him as composedly as if they were ordinary acquaintances who had parted in ordinary circumstances a week or so before.

This cool demeanor aided Mr. Meaphy in regaining his composure, and he met her in the same spirit.

"You have made the sketch of me, have you not, Mr. Meaphy?" she said, suddenly.

"Good heavens, yes! but how did you know that?"

"Why did you not finish it? You had nothing to do the next day, did you?"

"I named the country seat at which he had really made the sketch."

Mr. Meaphy stammered out some excuse, which was cut short by her asking him whether the engraving had not helped him, as she told him it would.

"Very much," he said; "but—but I never quite knew how you sent that to me."

"No, I suppose not," she said, and changing the subject, began to speak of some book which she held in her hand.

The conversation went on until the train reached the point at which Mr. Meaphy was to visit. The lady, who had apparently intended to continue her journey in the direction of London, for she made no offer to get out, bade Mr. Meaphy good-morning very composedly, and as he got out of the carriage said to him:—

"Now, you will go on with the sketch and I will try and let you see me again. It should be done."

Without quite owing it to himself, Mr. Meaphy was greatly pleased to find himself in a different carriage, going in a different direction, for it was impossible to resist a singular and uncomfortable impression that he was dealing with a profoundly mysterious, if not with an unearthly personage, and yet, in the face of the very carriage and demeanor of the lady and of all the external circumstances of the affair, it appeared to Mr. Meaphy quite absurd to indulge these impressions.

He found his host's carriage waiting for him, and was driven to the house and ushered to his room in time to dress for dinner.

The house was a large ancient, handsome country gentleman's home, in no wise luxurious, but having two or three centuries with broad passages and stairways, family pictures, tapestry hangings and all the details that go to make up one of the thousand and one stately homes of England throughout that pleasant land. Mr. Meaphy found himself alone when he entered the great drawing-room. He walked about, looking at pictures upon the walls, and so passed into a second (smaller) drawing-room, whither he was attracted by the sound of the crackling of a wood fire. There a staggering blow awaited him. Standing before a tall, ancient mantel, with one

foot set upon the heavy brass fender, in the light of a great wood fire, which sparkled and flamed in the deep chimney-place, stood his fellow-traveller of the morning. She nodded to him politely and with perfect unconcern. He approached and spoke with her, expressing some surprise at finding her under the same roof with himself.

"How did you come?" he said. "I thought mine was the only train which could reach here to-day."

"I came by a way of my own," she replied, and went on in a light, ordinary conversation until the host and hostess appeared from the large drawing-room.

Mr. Meaphy at once advanced to greet them and fell into conversation with the hostess. He was a little surprised, though not particularly, to find that neither of them made any offer to present him to the lady who still stood, in no way recognizing the guest, by the fireside. Dinner was almost immediately announced. The host invited Mr. Meaphy to give his arm to his hostess, and they passed into the dining-room.

"You see," said the hostess, as they took their seats at the table, "we have no one here, and it is very kind of you to come and give us your company."

As the lady of the fireside had entered the room with them and was at that moment sitting directly opposite to Mr. Meaphy, all these remarks seemed to him most extraordinary. He affected, however, not to perceive anything strange in this conversation, and dinner went on, the mysterious lady taking no part whatever in the talking, and so far as Mr. Meaphy could see, being in no way recognized by the host, the hostess or the servants who waited at the table. As may be imagined, all this did not tend to enhance Mr. Meaphy's comfort at dinner. It was impossible for him to allude to a person who seemed to exist only in his own perceptions, and yet who manifested in the expression of her countenance no sort of consciousness of this extraordinary neglect. When they retired to the drawing-room for dinner, one or two persons coming in from the neighborhood, conversation became general. The mysterious lady moved about from point to point, once or twice speaking with Mr. Meaphy, but never, so far as he could see, exchanging a word with her. By the time that he retired to his room Mr. Meaphy was profoundly upset by this most unaccountable of all the experiences through which he had yet passed in connection with his mysterious visitant of the summer. Determined, if he could, to satisfy himself whether he was or was not under such a spell, he decided to make some excuse of speaking to the footman, who was arranging his clothes before leaving him for the night, about the lady who had dined there. The footman looked at him unintelligently at first, and then with a curious, almost quizzical, expression, he said:—"The lady who had not the least idea what he was speaking of, as he didn't know that any lady was staying in the house, and as the one or two ladies who had called during the evening had driven home to their residences. Seeing that he was to get no light from the quarter, Mr. Meaphy remained silent, and the footman, after three days, finished the portrait which he had undertaken to paint in water-colors, and left."

From time to time all the circumstances of this strange acquaintance would recur to him, but he never cared to dwell upon them, and contented himself with a dream of communicating them to any one else. He could not regard them as purely a delusion of his own imagination, for there in his despatch box was the engraving from Heath's "Book of Beauty"; there was the half-finished sketch of a face which had impressed itself upon his mind, and which he had put in his memory; and yet he felt that to hint at any of the circumstances of his unparalleled adventures would expose him in the minds of other people to suspicions which, but for the material evidence there before him, he would be very loath to entertain.

So the time passed on. Once or twice, taking the sketch up, Mr. Meaphy had worked upon it until it was well advanced to completion. He never took it up except under a stress of feeling which he could never define or resist; he never gave up again with a sense of relief and satisfaction, but with an ensuing winter Mr. Meaphy was called to the west of England to keep an engagement made long before with a friend who resided, I think, somewhere in the marshes of Wales. He started upon this journey with a sense of the name of the friend, and he found it was in the Midland counties. At all events, he left this point on a Saturday, and his route led through the ancient little cathedral city of Litchfield. On reaching Litchfield great was Mr. Meaphy's disgust to find that he could make no contact with his friend, who was in the city, and he was obliged to pass Sunday in Litchfield, a prospect which he was not enough of a philosopher to accept with satisfaction.

There were two or three very decent inns in Litchfield, however, and in one of these I think the woman, Mr. Meaphy made himself as comfortable as circumstances would permit. He ordered the usual British dinner, with the usual soup, the usual fish and the usual joint, enlivened it with a pint of dry champagne, picked up the country history and settled himself for a quiet evening at his study. He was, however, hardly got through his dinner when the door opened, and his astonishment, came in with a card on a salver. Taking up this card, Mr. Meaphy read on it the name of a gentleman who many years before had been one of his school-fellows, but of whom he had not heard for anything since he came to years of manhood. He had forgotten, in fact, the very existence of the man, and he was entirely at a loss to imagine in what possible way his arrival and his presence in this quiet little inn could have come to the ears of his quondam boyish companion. He bade the waiter, however, show him up at once. When the door opened he welcomed—not a man of his own years, but a quiet and rather serious-looking, very courteous young gentleman of about twenty-five or twenty-six, who promptly explained that Mr. Meaphy's old school-fellow, the man he had been sent by his father with a carriage to find Mr. Meaphy at the inn, his father being confined to his room with an illness, and that his father insisted on Mr. Meaphy's leaving the inn and coming to pass his Sunday in Litchfield in their city. This civility, could not resist expressing his surprise and asking the young man how in the world his father came to know of his entirely accidental visit to Litchfield.

"That I can't tell you," said the young man, "but he has been expecting you all day."

"Well, this passes all comprehension!" said Mr. Meaphy. "And I should be very glad to find out how it came to pass." He endeavored, however, to excuse himself from accepting the hospitality thus unexpectedly proffered him,

but in vain. The young man insisted that he could not think of such a thing as going back without Mr. Meaphy, and after a little the artist yielded. His portmanteau and despatch-box were brought down, put into a neat little private carriage which stood at the inn door, and Mr. Meaphy drove to the house of his old acquaintance.

"I will go upstairs," said the young man, "and let my father know you are here. He is so anxious to see you and has been so nervous and restless of late that I ought to see him for a few minutes before you go up." And with this he led Mr. Meaphy into a drawing-room, where he presented him to a young lady, dressed in mourning, as a sister. This young lady greeted Mr. Meaphy very cordially, and appeared to have been quite as much interested as her brother in securing his presence in their house.

"My father," said the young lady, "has been hoping to see you here for months, but it was only to-day that he felt sure of your coming."

"Yes?" said Mr. Meaphy. "And how in the world did he feel sure of my coming to-day?"

"That I can't tell you," said the young woman, "but I suppose it is because he had heard from me."

"Heard from me?" said Mr. Meaphy. "My dear young lady, I have had no communication with your father for years. I am sorry to say I didn't even remember he was living here in Litchfield."

The young lady looked at him incredulously. "How can that be when you have been painting my sister's portrait?"

"Painting your sister's portrait?" said Mr. Meaphy. "Pray what is your sister's name?"

"Her name?" said the young lady, repeating it.

"I assure you," said Mr. Meaphy, "either I am dreaming or you are. Your sister never sat to me for her portrait. I never heard of it until this moment."

"You must not say this to my father," said the young lady, "it will kill him. He has been counting on this. There must be some strange mistake."

"Certainly there is some strange mistake," said Mr. Meaphy, "but I can't understand how I am in any way accountable for it. I assure you I have no recollection of your sister's name—no recollection. Where did she sit to me?"

"That I don't know," said the young lady; "it must have been before she died."

"She is no longer living, then?"

"No; and it is since her death that my father has been so urgent and so eager to secure the portrait you have been painting of her. I can't understand how you didn't know her name, but you will surely recall her face at once, for you have the engraving of the portrait of Lady—, which was taken out of our 'Book of Beauty' and sent to you because of its strange resemblance to her."

And with this the young lady, rising, handed him a copy of Heath's "Book of Beauty," opened at the page from which the engraved portrait had been taken.

The effect of this disclosure upon Mr. Meaphy may be imagined. His countenance changed. He paused a moment and then said:—"This is inexplicable. When did your sister die?"

The date was named, a date shortly preceding the time at which his mysterious visitor had first entered his studio.

"I have a picture of that young lady," he said, "in my despatch-box, and I will bring it down stairs to you."

Going upstairs he opened the despatch-box and returned to the drawing-room with the nearly completed sketch and with the engraved portrait, both of which the young lady received with expressions of the most intense delight. She carried them upstairs to her father, and after a little time Mr. Meaphy was introduced to his old acquaintance, whom he found in a state of inexpressible happiness at the possession of the portrait, and not in the least, apparently, disturbed or concerned by the way in which it had been painted or as to any of the circumstances connected with it. He could not sufficiently thank Mr. Meaphy for what he had done, pressed him to name his own remuneration for the work, and exhibited, in short, every symptom of unbounded satisfaction. It is unnecessary to say that Mr. Meaphy, upon being peremptorily declined any payment whatever for this strange and uncanny piece of work, he said as little as possible to the father or to the family as to the circumstances in which it had been painted, and got out of Litchfield in the earliest train with a sense of intense relief.

"This story is told by a New York friend of Mr. Richard Meaphy, who was an American artist resident in London. Charles Dickens in his publishers letters refers to 'Meaphy's Ghost' as 'the most wonderful ghost story I ever heard.'"

At Martha's Vineyard.
COTTAGE CITY, Aug. 10, 1890.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC:
Newton has her beautiful drives; Cottage City her crowds of pleasure seekers. All things considered, the Vineyard has never before been such a restful playground. Newton people can attest that fact. It may be that scorching days and torrid nights on the sweltering continent brought about the exodus to this favored isle. Its misty hills and shining beaches and soft sea breeze are a relief to the tired-out mortal who would win strength through their health-giving ministrations. The season at the Pawnee has been eminently successful. That gentlemanly mortal, Mr. F. S. Amidon, is just as courteous and gallant as man can be. For four seasons the major has welcomed guests from homes that may be found in every state in the union. He is omnipresent, ever looking to the comfort of those who seek entertainment beneath his roof.

A Spring Medicine.
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New Theory of the Tides.

The shape in which the facts of nature present themselves to untrained minds is often amusing enough, but often it is also suggestive. Among sailors and fishermen, for instance, one often finds a way of stating things which is not only picturesque, but which gives one an idea beside, says the Youth's Companion. It was an old fisherman on the coast of Maine who put forward a theory of the tide which is not without its interest, as well as its drollery. He was a philosophical old gentleman, much given to meditation in the sun, and above all things else, determined never to be caught by a question. He had always his answer, no matter what the inquiry made might be; and in the fishing village where he lived he had something of the reputation of an oracle.

"Thompson," some one asked him, "do you know what causes the tides?"

"The old man smoked in silence a moment, and then, without removing his pipe from his lips, he answered, 'Wall, I hev some idee.'"

"Explain it to us, please."

Thompson would not be hurried, but after some urging he answered, "You've turned over in bed, I think's likely?"

"Certainly."

"An' when you went over, the bed-clothes kind o' slipped 'round and sloshed 'round, and didn't get there at the same time you did."

"Yes."

"Wall, that's the way of the tide. The old world slips 'round inside of the sea like a man under the bedclothes, and that's what makes the tides. It's easy enough to see how 'tis after you understand it."

He wrote: "I luv you. You have thrown a spell around me;" and she replied: "Why don't you use it?"—Boston Transcript.

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Clasped by a Severed Hand.

June 20 Frederick Miller and David Heller, two employees at the furnace at the rolling mills, were killed by a premature explosion of Hercules powder while blasting out a salmander from the bottom of the furnace. Miller was standing directly over the drilled hole at the time of the explosion, and was terribly torn and disfigured. Both arms were blown off. But one was found. Every effort to find the other arm proved fruitless until yesterday.

The workmen saw an object clinging to one of the stay rods that help to support and keep in position the stacks on the top of the furnace. Through curiosity they climbed up to the top, and they saw a sight that not only filled them with horror but with wonder. There in full sight of all was a man's hand with only the stub of an arm attached tightly clasping the rod above mentioned.

There can be no doubt but that the hand is that of the unfortunate Miller. The only theory known for the strange freak of the bodyless hand is that the hand was blown out of the top of the high stack, and in coming down the muscles, still active, contracted when the hand struck the rod and fastened to it with a deadly grip. From the position in which Miller was standing the hand could not have reached the position it occupied other than in the above manner. The muscles could not have relaxed much after first contracting, else the hand would have fallen.—Brazil Times.

An Electric Lawn Party.

An electric lawn party was given a few days ago by one of the leading electricians of the country at his residence in Connecticut. As the visitor was ushered into the oaken hall he was greeted with music from an electric organ. An open box of cigars lay on the center table, and overhanging it was an electric cigar lighter. On the sideboard, in an electric teapot, the fragrant Bohemian was brewing, and novel and almost weird effects of electric lighting were visible all around, while the air was cooled with electric fans. Two objects of unique interest, taken side by side, were one of the first phonographs and the very last perfected instrument made. In the evening there was a grand display of fireworks, ignited by electricity direct from the lighting circuit, a thing never before attempted. The fireworks, which were shown about 150 yards from the house, were lighted from the piazza by the turning of a small electric switch in the hands of a lady.—Exchange.

A Modern Prodigal.

A short time ago Mr. Crimp, farmer, of Milton, Devon, advertised for a laborer. A wretched, half-starved young man in rags and tatters applied for the situation, and by pleading hard obtained it. Some time after he told his master that he owned an estate in Wiltshire, and that his father was a very wealthy man. He had left home, he said, through an unpleasantness, and had been wandering about for years, barely earning subsistence. The farmer made inquiries, and visited Wiltshire to find the extraordinary story true. His laborer's father resided in an elegant mansion, beautifully situated. He had long since given up his son for dead, but immediately accompanied the farmer back to Devonshire and there found the prodigal, who would not leave his master until the latter had procured some one to take his place on the farm.—London Tit Bits.

The Cow Visits the Parlor.

The family of Mrs. Mary Hartwright, who resides on Plover street, Omaha, were much surprised a few evenings ago by the appearance in their parlor of an unexpected guest. This was their Durham cow, Mollie, that escaping from her pen deliberately walked up the low steps leading to the porch, thence into the hall, through which she marched until she reached the parlor door. This she entered with an inquiring moo, and advanced into the room, while the family sat watching her, afraid to move lest she startle and cause her to do some damage. But after a quiet inspection of the apartment the incongruity of her presence there seemed to strike her, and turning about as quietly walked out again.—Cor. Philadelphia Press.

Practical Jokers Punished.

Police Justice White, of New York, has just taught two practical jokers a lesson—fining each \$10. While painting a building in Mott street as a bit of pleasantry they spattered paint over every Italian man, woman, or child whose head appeared in any of the windows below. This amusement grew too mild, and when a Miss Mucchi appeared in the next yard one of them dropped the entire contents of a paint pot on her head. Miss Mucchi had dark hair and her friends were so shocked at her changed appearance that they had the painters arrested.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Wonders Beneath the Surface.

Workmen engaged in sinking an artesian well in Sandy Valley, near Niria, N. M., struck an open seam, from which a cold stream of air rushed with force enough to remove a twelve pound rock laid over the opening. The air was charged with millions of small yellow bugs, each having but two legs, no wings and a small red circle on his back. They lived but a few seconds after striking the warm outside air. Local scientists are puzzling over the question—How did they get so far down into the earth?—St. Louis Republic.

During a Storm.

"Gracious! that was an awful clap of thunder; it frightened me terribly."
"Pooh! thunder can't hurt you."
"Can't it? Didn't you ever hear of a person being thunderstruck?"—Harper's Bazar.

New Orleans newspapers announce that Maj. Burke, the defaulter and ex-editor who is now in exile in Honduras, is in wretched health. He is said to be suffering from a cancer of the nose. His wife is still in the south of France.

August.

Deep in the wood I made a house
Where no one knew the way;
I carpeted the floor with moss,
And there I loved to play.

I heard the bubbling of the brook;
At times an acorn fell,
And far away a robin sang
Deep in a lonely dell.

I set a rock with acorn cups;
So quietly I played
A rabbit hopped across the moss,
And did not seem afraid.

That night before I went to bed
I sat by my window stool,
And thought how dark my house must be
Down in the lonesome wood.
—Katharine Pyle in St. Nicholas.

A Good Hot Weather Diet.

Here is a good hot weather diet prescribed by a \$25 a visit doctor of Saratoga: Fish, clear soups, sea food, eggs, brown breads a day old, fresh milk, green peas, lettuce and tomatoes in preference to all other vegetables, ripe melons and fresh berries, rice puddings, lemonade and iced tea in preference to ice cups, and half the usual quantity of coffee. He advises contempt for butter, dumplings, pie, roasts, cabbage, potatoes, hot bread and animal foods as too heating for the blood. He also prescribes a two hour siesta after dining, as little exposure to the sun as possible and a glass of ale or porter at night for people who do not rest well. Hot baths he considers better than the cold plunge for cooling purposes, to be taken an hour before eating or three hours after.

Violence is done to perfect health by indiscriminate use of mineral water, especially mixing them, and prolonged stay in the sun. Only an ignorant man will drink from two different mineral springs and only the foolishly athletic overexert themselves. The longer and summer tourist will get the best rest on his back either in a hammock, steamer chair or bed. Unless the system is regulated nothing will improve it, and there is no better way to keep the portals open and stimulate perspiration than by frequent use of water applied internally and externally. It is hardly possible to drink too much good, clean cool water, and habitual sponging will remove the excretions from the body which facilitate the growth of germs that are as fetid and numerous as the dust particles in the air we breathe.—New York World.

Ups and Downs in the Yeast Market.
Yeast is naturally a most unstable sort of commodity, but its main characteristic is that upon the very slightest provocation it will rise. During the past week, however, it contradicted its usual methods and shrunk in a most amazing way. Saturday last it sold for 20 cents a pound. Monday it was selling for 5 cents a pound, and yesterday the price rose again to 20 cents.

Investigation into the causes of this extraordinary fluctuation in price reveals the existence of a hide bound, copper bottomed, double riveted trust which absolutely controls the price of yeast, and holds it at a figure which pays the members of the trust a handsome profit. A pound of yeast cut into squares and wrapped in tin foil will make forty cakes, which are sold by the manufacturers at 1 cent each, and retailed for 2. The consumer of this yeast then pays 80 cents per pound. The profit is 68 cents, of which the retailer makes 40 and the manufacturer 28 cents. Compressed yeast is made from whiskies, vinegars, and "low wines," and could be retailed at 15 cents a pound, with a fair margin of profit for manufacturer and retailer.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Whitelaw Reid's New Home.

One hundred granite columns of enormous size and highly polished have been received at the Ophir farm, the home of Whitelaw Reid. They are to be used in the construction of a \$40,000 portico for his granite mansion, which is in the course of erection. It is said that Mr. Reid's residence will be almost as handsome as that of the Rockefeller mansion on the Hudson. The building is modeled after the ancient German castles of the Fourteenth century. It is built on an elevation, and commands a fine view of the surrounding country. From the castle tower Greenwich harbor, Long Island sound, Staten Island, and on a clear day the spires and Brooklyn bridge in New York can be seen.—New York Sun.

A Poetical Japanese.

Masatoki Ikeda, son and heir of the Duke of Bijen, Japan, is in Philadelphia. The young marquis is not yet twenty, but talks profoundly on political and social affairs in Japan. He is a great lawn tennis player, and, like all lawn tennis players, a deep philosopher, as will be seen by the following Japanese poem which he has written: "The green bamboo lives many years. The bamboo which grows in the emperor's garden will live a thousand years without accident."—Exchange.

A Michigan Story.

Nineteen years ago a Gratiot county, Mich., farmer refused to let his daughter go to a candy pull. She went though, and remained away. Last week she drove up to her father's door, lifted off her eleven children, coolly took off her wraps and astonished her father by declaring that she had concluded to return and stay home, and hereafter be an obedient daughter.—Philadelphia Ledger.

An Interesting Phenomenon.

A new black spot has been approaching the great red spot which has been visible on the surface of Jupiter for a dozen years, and, according to Mr. A. S. Williams, seems likely to pass either over or under the latter. Calculations show that the black spot should be in conjunction with the center of the red spot on Aug. 28, and with the preceding end on Sept. 27.—Arkansas Traveler.

It is reported that a novel flower has been discovered at the isthmus of Tehuantepec. This floral chameleon has the power of changing its colors during the day. In the morning it is white, when the sun is at its zenith it is red, and at night it is blue. Only at noon does it give out any perfume.

Young Men Scarce.

The cry which comes up from the watering places is as regularly associated with this season in the public mind as cucumbers, ice cream and russet leather shoes. It is worth noting, however, that the wall this year is more deep and heartfelt than it has been for many seasons past. If things go on at the present rate before long the government will be importuned to take a hand in supplying the summer resorts with young men. Their scarcity bids fair to rank as a public grievance. Some of the published lists of the entertainments given at the watering places are curiously suggestive.

In one dispatch from Narragansett, for instance, on Sunday the details of a "delightful impromptu picnic" were given. A list of the guests was appended. There were four young men and twenty-seven young women. At an "informal" dance in Newport on the same day it was said that for the first time in the history of that famous watering place girls danced with one another since there were not enough men to go around. Such a condition of things as this at Newport is absolutely unprecedented. It is not difficult to find out where the young men are by the way. They are grinding away in New York, and a candid and unprejudiced survey of the field gives the impression that in view of all the circumstances they are doing pretty well.—Newport Letter.

Cucumbers as Food.

Many people are under the impression that cucumber is very indigestible, and when they eat it they do so under protest and with apprehensions of possibly dire consequences. How this delusion can have arisen it is difficult to say, unless it be that cucumber is often eaten with salmon and other indigestible table friends. It is not the cucumber, however, but the salmon that sits so heavily upon our stomach's throne. Cucumber, in fact, is very digestible when eaten properly. It cannot, indeed, be otherwise when it is remembered that it consists mainly of water, and that those parts which are not water are almost exclusively cells of a very rapid growth. In eating cucumber it is well to cut it into thin slices and to masticate them thoroughly. Even the vinegar and the pepper that are so often added to it are of service to digestion if not taken in excess. The cucumber, as every one knows, belongs to the melon tribe; but in our somewhat cold country it does not grow to any very large size, and therefore it is firmer and looks less digestible than its congener, the melon.—London Hospital.

A Bug with Two Green Lanterns.

Mr. A. W. Habersham found on Exchange place a beetle about one inch long that has back of his eyes two spots that give out a dazzling phosphorescent green light sufficient to illuminate his surroundings for a distance of several inches. When placed on his back he rights himself with a spring and a snapping sound. It is hence inferred that he belongs to the family "Elater." As such a beetle with lantern is not known to be a resident of this country it is supposed that Mr. Habersham's find is an immigrant from Brazil or some tropical country where bugs that carry lanterns are not uncommon.—Baltimore Sun.

Baggage Room for Travelers.

People going to Europe for the first time are generally surprised at being told they are entitled to take forty cubic feet of baggage without extra charge. It sounds like a great deal, but as a matter of fact it doesn't amount to more than two big trunks. For every ton of baggage above the limit passengers on ocean steamers are supposed to pay twenty shillings charges, but the steamship companies are very liberal in the matter and show no disposition, as a rule, to be disobligeing. Two trunks each 4 feet long by 24 feet high by 2 feet wide contain each twenty cubic feet and would exhaust the baggage limit.—New York World.

Trolling Spoon.

Enthusiastic votaries of the piscatorial art will hail with gratitude a device which has just been patented. This consists of a trolling spoon with a flexible shield in front of the hook for the prevention of fouling or catching objects in the water. A similar shield is fixed on a swivel just behind the tail of the spoon, projecting laterally beyond the points of the hooks, so that contact with any colliding object will be made by the shield instead of the hooks, and a great saving in time and discursive language will be secured.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

An Illinois Pearl for a Countess.

On Saturday Charles Ellis, an amateur fisher, found a pearl in the Pecatonica river, at Winslow, near Galena, Ill., which he sold to an expert buyer for \$600. The gem was one of the largest that has ever been discovered in these waters, of a dark, bluish brown tint, and remarkably lustrous. The pearl was seen by one of Tiffany's men of New York, who gave a check for \$1,200 for it on sight. It is to adorn the coronet of a well known English countess.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

That Took All His Money.

McCorkle—Well, I can't take that block of bank stock after all.
McCorkle—Why, you had the money ready yesterday.
McCorkle—Yes, but I paid my week's ice bill after I saw you.—Epoch.

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Mr. Bareboard—I tell you, a man kin jest live on this mountain air!
Mr. Holleroids—Yes, as I have found out; but I think a little food now and then would help digestion wonderfully.—Puck.

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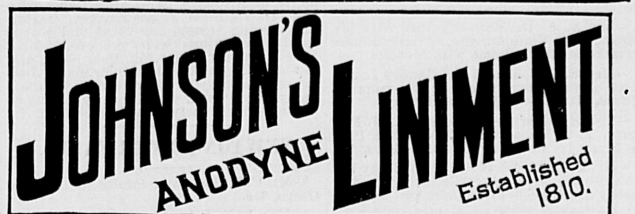
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NEWTON CENTRE.

—Mrs. J. H. Lesh has returned home.
—Eames' express team has a new coat of paint.
—Mr. Leonard Paul is entertaining friends.
—Miss Quinn of Chicago has been here this week.
—Mrs. James Morrison has gone to Truro, N. S.
—Mrs. H. N. Smith has returned from her vacation.
—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Byers have returned from New York.
—Rev. B. L. Whitman removed to Portland, Me., this week.
—Miss Emma Giles of Parker street is vacationing in Maine.
—A large party went to Oakland Gardens Tuesday evening.
—Nothing has as yet been heard from the new depot which is to be.
—Tobey, the batter for the Newton Centre Jrs., is in Portsmouth.
—Mr. J. Frank Makee paraded with the Rhode Island division, Tuesday.
—Rev. B. L. Whitman occupied the Baptist pulpit, Sunday morning.
—Mr. C. H. Bennett and daughter are at the Maplewood, Bethlehem, N. H.
—Miss Mary McGrady, bookkeeper at W. O. Knapp's is away on her vacation.
—Messrs. Garey & English have placed a fence on the north side of Union street.
—Mrs. Wm. Wiswall and Mrs. Chas. Hall are visiting friends at Marblehead.
—Rev. Theodore J. Holmes was at home this week, and saw the parade in Boston.
—The family of Mr. Henry H. Read are stopping at Lunenburg, Mass., this week.
—Rev. O. W. Gates and wife were at the Summit House, Mt. Washington, last Friday.
—Mrs. Herbert Clement of Fort Payne, Ala., is visiting Mrs. Chas. Estey, Oak Hill.
—Mrs. Montgomery returned by the Bangor boat from her Maine vacation, Friday.
—A large number of G. A. R. veterans are being entertained by local comrades this week.
—Mr. Davis removed from Cousens' block to Cherry street, West Newton, yesterday.
—Mr. Reuben H. Bates, a member of the G. A. R. of Cooperstown, N. Y., is visiting Rev. J. J. Peck.
—Mr. Geo. Smith is spending his vacation down east, and his brother takes his place at Weir's stable.
—Mr. Geo. W. Cobb and family have returned home after several weeks among the White Mountains.
—Mr. John Linnell, Mr. I. R. Stevens' popular clerk, is spending his vacation at East Orleans, on the Cape.
—Several G. A. R. men who missed the evening train arrived home by heretic at 5 a. m. Wednesday morning.
—Mrs. Holman and daughter of Pelham street are at home, having spent four weeks at Wachusett Mountain and vicinity.
—Miss Charlotte M. Flanders leaves Saturday for Breezy Point, N. H., and after two weeks there she will go to Montreal.
—Mr. George Huse created a sensation at G. F. Richardson's when the ladder fell, as he was at the top of it. He is better today.
—Mr. Chas. Estey of Oak Hill has raised some very fine potatoes this year, one of our readers seeing one this week which weighed 1 lb. 10 oz.
—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rockwood of Beacon street have spent two weeks at Weymouth with his mother, who has been very ill but is now much better.
—The streets were deserted Tuesday, business suspended, and almost every one went to witness the parade in Boston, of the national encampment of the G. A. R.
—Engineer A. B. Colby is on his vacation this week and next. Mr. Colby is a comrade, and in this week of John H. San, his union in Boston. Mr. G. K. Stacey takes his place.
—A large number of extra trains were run Tuesday there being in all some seventy trains during the day, regulars and specials. The usual number of regular trains is forty-three.
—Miss Sophia Ulmer of Portland, Me., has returned from her visit to her uncle, Mr. G. Ulmer of Bowen street, Mr. Ulmer's two daughters accompanied her to Portland.
—List of advertised letters: Miss Maggie Collins, Mrs. Kate Delaney, Miss Ida Johnson, Mr. Daniel Kelley, Jane Rae, Mrs. J. C. Roberts, Mr. John Sheehan, Mr. William Sullivan.
—Among the guests at the Ocean House, Swampscott, are Rev. Henry F. Colby, D. D., of Dayton, Ohio, Mr. A. C. Walworth and family, and Mr. Joseph W. Parker and family of Lake avenue.
—Dr. O. S. Stearns and his son, the Rev. Wm. O. Stearns of Cazenovia, N. Y., were here Wednesday, and are now at North Scituate. Dr. Stearns' house will not be ready for occupancy for several weeks.
—Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hayes and daughter of Milwaukee are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Merrill, in Crescent at Terce, and other friends here, and at Wellesley and vicinity. Mrs. Hayes and Mrs. Merrill will pass a few days at Peaks Island, off Portland.
—A horse attached to a carriage driven by unknown parties, became frightened near the post office on Centre street, Saturday evening, and ran down the street, being finally stopped without damage by running him into the bank wall by Homer street.
—It is getting near the end of the summer vacation, and but a few weeks remain before schools open for the fall term. Mr. Harback's place in the Mason school is to be filled by Mr. Wm. A. Spiney of the Adams school who will soon win the confidence of both scholars and parents.
—Mr. James H. Sherman, brother of the well known Shermans here, is in town after an absence of ten years. He is now after the instructor in the wood work department of the Rose Polytechnic in Crescent at Terce, Haute, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. Sherman were among the first in organizing the Methodist society here.
—Among the guests at the Algonquin, N. E., are D. B. Cladin and wife, W. B. Cladin, Miss H. O. Cladin, John H. San, born, wife, son and daughter, Robert S. Gardner, wife and daughters, all of Newton Centre. This, the second season of the Algonquin, is proving like the first, very successful. The hotel is picturesque in its exterior, daintily furnished, every room commanding a view of the mountains and waters of the Passamaquoddy Bay and the St. Croix river. The cuisine is exceptionally good, and Mr. Carter leaves nothing undone for the entertainment and comfort of his guests. An excellent orchestra provides music afternoons and evenings. This is one of the points where the hay fever sufferer may be sure of avoiding the discomforts of that unpleasant and distressing disease.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Mr. A. R. Cook and family are at Bath, Me.
—Miss Carrie Putney has gone to Concord.
—Mrs. M. E. Baird has gone to New Hampshire.
—Miss Grace Bryant has gone to Fitzwilliam, N. H.
—Mrs. E. Moulton is at Hotel Leicester, Leicester, Mass.
—Mrs. O'Connor has returned from her visit to Amherst.
—Mr. E. Houston is ill with pneumonia, but is now improving.
—Miss Nellie Hyde and Mrs. Charles Reed are at No. Conway.
—Mr. O. J. Kimball, who has been ill for a few days past, is now able to attend to business.
—The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Greenwood has been very ill for some days.
—Postmaster Nash has had a very enjoyable time during his vacation at Bridge-water, Vermont.
—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Butterfield are at home after an absence of two weeks at Saybrook, Conn.
—Mr. and Mrs. Ryder and Willie Ryder have returned from their visit to Marshfield and Plymouth.
—Mrs. Hilton, and her sister from Chicago, have returned from Hyannisport, where they have spent a few days.
—Rev. and Mrs. Phipps, who have been at Auburndale for the past few days, have now gone to Shelburne Falls.
—We hear that Mr. E. H. Tarbell has sold the house nearly completed next the residence of Deacon Whiting.
—Miss Sadie Thompson, in company with her aunt, Mrs. Winsor, has gone to Seaford and is at the Sea View House.
—Rev. Erastus Blakeslee of Spencer will occupy the pulpit at the Congregational church next Sabbath. Seats free.
—Mr. F. A. Watson has been confined to the house by sickness for the past few days but we hear that he is some better.
—Mr. A. S. Denison has with him his father, from Vermont, who we hear intends to make his future home with his son.
—Mrs. S. C. Cobb and Mr. Charles Logan were among the arrivals at the Summit House, Mt. Washington, last Friday.
—List of advertised letters: M. J. Flaherty, F. H. Hemenway, J. W. King, Patt McHugh, Irvine Maker, Norcross Bros.
—Mr. E. E. Bird left town Thursday for Fitzwilliam, N. H., where he will join his family and expects to be there two weeks.
—Dr. Eaton has a cellar commenced on his lot, fronting on Lake avenue and will have a house erected for his own occupancy.
—Mr. C. Peter Clark and family have returned from Kennebunkport, where they have been visiting at his father's summer residence.
—Mr. Richard Whight is ill with malaria. Mrs. Whight, who has been ill with malaria after former home in So. Boston, is now better.
—Dr. Eaton has as a guest his father, Rev. S. W. Eaton, D. D., from Roscoe, Ill., who intends to be present at the reunion of the Eaton family, to take place in Boston, Aug. 19th, at Tremont Temple.
—Mr. John R. Sackis, a cousin of Mr. Albert H. Greenwood, paid him a short visit on Tuesday. Mr. Sackis is in the naval service, being an engineer on the steamer Baltimore, which had the President on board.
—Mr. O. J. Kimball has bought an estate on Duncliee street, belonging to Miss Duncliee of Newton and adjoining the residence of Mr. H. A. Pike. He is now having the house put in order and will paint the same outside, and is also having the grounds regraded. He intends to occupy by Oct. 1st.
—The stable building on Woodward street, damaged by fire last week, is now being repaired. The insurance of three hundred dollars will about cover the damage.
—Mr. L. F. Mason, the occupant, who estimated his loss on personal property at about two hundred dollars, has made a settlement with the insurance company.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Miss Martha Newell is at Bass Rock.
—Miss Hayward is with friends in Pittsburg, Pa.
—Miss Nellie Bird is at East Walpole this week.
—Mr. Chas. Miner has commenced his barge trips.
—Mr. Linton is having good success with his ice cream sales.
—Miss Nina Stuntz is visiting her sister, Miss Sarah Stuntz.
—The Misses Hurley are vacationing at New Boston, N. H.
—Mr. Daniel Fitzgerald has got through at the Rubber Works.
—Mr. and Mrs. John W. Howe are out of town on their vacation.
—Mr. Richard Sullivan and family are entertaining Ohio friends.
—Mr. Will Bancroft of Dover, has been visiting his parents this week.
—Mrs. Hopkins is entertaining her daughter from Zanesville, Ohio.
—Master Freddie W. Purcell is at Wellesley Hills visiting friends.
—Mr. James Cahill is entertaining one of his western comrades this week.
—Mr. Chas. E. Hussey has returned from his vacation in Farmington, N. H.
—Mr. M. H. Coffin has gone to Manchester, N. H., on business this week.
—James C. Ryan, who is employed at Ryan's grocery, will spend his vacation at Lynn, next week.
—Officer Purcell arrested a man at Newton Highlands, Wednesday morning, for disturbance of the peace.
—Several of our G. A. R. men got "left" Tuesday night and came home the following morning in herds.
—Mr. John Brundrett and family are to occupy the tenement in Fanning's block where Mr. Wm. Dyson lived.
—Mr. Rogers Linton drove the barge Tuesday, allowing Mr. Miner a chance to witness the parade in Boston.
—Rev. Mr. Peterson exchanged pulpits last Sunday morning, but was in charge of the evening meeting as usual.
—Mrs. Mary Hopkins of Chestnut street, is entertaining Mr. and Mrs. P. D. McCann and little son of Zanesville, Ohio.
—Mr. Helback of Needham, is to be taken to the asylum for the insane by Boston authorities who have him in charge.
—Mr. George H. Ellis, the well known printer, is removing from his Eliot street residence to his West Newton purchase.
—Mr. Wm. Dyson and family have moved from Fanning's block, Chestnut street, to the Wheeler estate opposite, corner of Chestnut and Winter street.
—The porch of the Prospect schoolhouse is being made into a storm shelter with two windows, one on each side and new steps have replaced the old ones.
—All of the shops, mills and stores were closed on Tuesday, and a noticeable quiet prevailed throughout the day as a large number attended the encampment parade in Boston.

—It is noticed that the janitor of the Boston water works property here, has adopted number 30. Officer Tappley, recently appointed in charge of the bathhouse at Bulbough's pond, also wears 30.
—Mr. Edward M. Billings took a party of ladies, Mrs. Beriah Billings, Mrs. Oliver Billings, Miss Fannie Billings, and the Misses Johnson on a trip to Portsmouth on the steamer John Brooks, Wednesday, a very pleasant trip being made.
—A number of our prominent civilians were guests of Councilman E. L. Collins at the Hotel Reynolds, Washington street, Boston, Tuesday, among them being noticed Acting Mayor Pettie, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Billings and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mitchell.
—An Italian, Raffaele Imbrione by name, jumped from the early morning train out, Wednesday morning, after it had started from the depot, and fell striking his head on a rail. He was picked up and carried to the Italian camp where he speedily recovered and was soon well enough to be around.

—Mr. John Reagan, who works at the Crandall Paper Mills, cut an ugly gash in his wrist last Monday, from a lamp which fell from a shelf on which he was placing it and broke. He at once started for Dr. Thompson's, but became faint on the way and was fortunately seen by Officer Purcell who helped him to the doctor's, who took five stitches in the wound and bandaged it. John will be unable to work for some time.

—Mrs. John Peterson's primary Sunday school class had a most enjoyable time last Saturday afternoon, despite the rain. The picnic was held in the Methodist vestry instead of the grove, and four swings were put up in the horse sheds for them. About thirty-two were the number present, and Mrs. Peterson's popularity with the little ones, and their enjoyment of the day is perhaps best expressed by one little fellow who when asked how soon he wants another picnic, said, "I want 'em ev'ry Saturday."

—Last Thursday evening a party of young ladies and gentlemen enjoyed a ride through the Newtons and the city of Waltham, stopping in the latter place at the Central House, where an elaborate dinner was served by Mr. Luke Copp, in honor of his wife, Mrs. Alice Copp, who has just returned from Europe. During the evening several fine vocal and instrumental selections were rendered, and Messrs. Hill and Cahill in their piano duet being especially well received. A most enjoyable evening was spent by all and at a late hour the party turned homeward.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—Mr. C. H. Hale and family are at Lake Osego, Me.
—Mrs. L. E. Leland has returned from a vacation at Westport, Mass.
—Mr. W. H. Cotting has recovered from sickness and able to be about.
—A large number from here attended the Grand Army parade in Boston, Tuesday.
—Mr. S. N. Sears, our popular druggist, has engaged the services of a new drug clerk.
—Mr. and Mrs. John B. Gifford are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Leland.
—All the members of the G. A. R. residing here are attending the national encampment in Boston this week.
—A majority of the stores and manufacturing concerns closed Tuesday, which gave everything the appearance of a legal holiday.
—Mrs. Herbert Seaver was severely burned last Wednesday, the accident resulting from hot water and causing a very painful wound.
—Special Officer Corcoran made an arrest Wednesday evening for drunkenness, the offender being one John McLaughlin, employed by Chas. Hale.
—Mr. R. S. Bullard, who for the past 20 years carried on a large express business between this place and Boston, died suddenly Wednesday morning. After having recovered from a severe illness of inflammation of the bowels, he suffered a relapse of his former trouble and expired after an illness of twenty hours. On account of his genial disposition he was universally known and liked. He purchased the express business of Vaughn Jones about 32 years ago, at that time being a foreman of Mr. Jones'. He was 59 years, 10 mos., 1 day, and 2 daughters and a son survive him. Mr. Bullard had 3 life insurance policies of \$5,000 each on his life. The funeral will be held today.
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NEWTON.

—Mr. E. L. Bacon is at Gilford, N. H.

—Mr. Frank D. Frisbie is at Alton Bay, N. H.

—Miss Cleaveland has returned from her visit to Maine.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bent left this week for Wyndham, Vt.

—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Gay this week.

—Mr. Frank H. Burt and family are at Mt. Pleasant, N. H.

—Mrs. J. H. Wildman of Bellevue street is at Wakefield, N. H.

—Mr. H. A. Gould was one of the visitors at Mt. Washington this week.

—Miss E. J. Robbins has gone to Hillsboro, N. H., for a brief vacation.

—Mrs. L. W. Burnham and the Misses Burnham are at the St. Cloud, Hull.

—Mr. Albert Herbert and family are at the Howard House, Bethlehem, N. H.

—Mrs. Walcott Calkins is at Plainfield, N. J., and Miss Calkins at Mt. Desert.

—Miss Bessie Somers of Charlestown, West Va., is visiting Mrs. W. J. Follett.

—Mr. J. D. Kingsley and family have returned from their stay at Bar Harbor.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Dyer have gone to North Truro, Mass., for a short vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Goodrich have returned from Inglewood Camp, New Brunswick.

—Mr. J. D. Eggleston and family have returned from their summer visit at the shore.

—Mr. H. E. Moore and family of Park street have gone to Sudbury to visit his father.

—Harry Flynn, one of the local tennis experts, is confined to the house with rheumatism.

—Mr. E. C. Fitch and family have taken a cottage at York Beach, Me., for the month of August.

—Sheriff Tucker and family have returned from their summer vacation at York Beach, Me.

—Miss Bessie Lancaster is the guest of her friend, Mrs. Geo. Rand, at Lawrence, Long Island.

—Rev. J. G. Vose, D. D., of Providence, R. I., will supply the pulpit of Eliot church next Sunday morning.

—Rev. Benjamin H. Bailey of Malden will preach at Channing church next Sunday morning.

—Crane's bakery is to put in a gas engine and machinery, owing to the great increase of the business.

—Mr. J. Sturgis Potter and Herbert Potter left this week for a visit at Inglewood Camp, N. B.

—Mrs. Balch and Miss Balch of Leominster are guests of Mrs. Chas. C. Allen, Waverley avenue.

—Mr. W. D. Shaughnessy, head clerk for G. P. Atkins, left this week for a vacation in Nova Scotia.

—Miss M. I. Freeman, who has been visiting Mr. Russell Freeman, has returned to her home in Sandwich.

—Mr. Geo. Strong and family left this week for a visit at the Poland Springs House, So. Poland, Me.

—Mrs. C. A. Haskell and Miss Jennie Haskell are registered at the Crawford House, White Mountains.

—Mr. Knight of Maple Avenue will remove to New York this fall, on account of business interests there.

—Mr. F. O. Barber, of Barber Bros., has joined Dr. Hitchcock and Mr. J. Henry Bacon at East Boothbay, Me.

—Miss Woodford returned this week from the Isles of Shoals, where she visited at Miss Celia Thaxter's cottage.

—Mr. Wellington Howes of the City Market has purchased a handsome iron grey horse for use in his business.

—Mr. W. B. Beals has removed to Rockland Street, Brighton, and he is now engaged on the Brighton electric cars.

—Mr. Reuben Ford and family of Waverley avenue have returned from their sojourn at "The Argyle," Winthrop Highlands.

—Mr. Fred Gay and Mr. J. T. Withersall have taken two of the houses Mr. Chas. E. Billings is building on Church street.

—Rev. W. F. Parker, wife and son of St. Martin, N. B., are visiting Mrs. Irons and Mrs. Stevens, her mother and grandmother.

—The dates of a number of weddings have been set for the early autumn months, which promise to be important social events.

—Rev. Mr. Hubbell of Buffalo, N. Y., who preached in West Newton last Sunday, will preach at Eliot Church the coming Sunday.

—Miss Park has returned to Newton after an absence of nearly a year, and will resume her lessons on the pianoforte after Sept. 1st.

—Mr. J. J. Johnson brought home with him from St. Andrews a handsome colt and has purchased a road wagon for use in his business.

—Mr. J. H. Wildman lost a valuable New York cock, which he reached the age of 18 years, and had been a great pet of the family.

—Miss Calkins has resigned her professorship at Wellesley and will take a special course in psychology at the Harvard Annex, this winter.

—In the Horticultural Show in Boston, W. C. Strong took 2nd prize for Coniferous trees; and Geo. S. Harwood took 1st for best display of sweet peas.

—Miss Tyler of West Newton is assisting in the post office, as Postmaster Morgan is taking his vacation by making day trips to the shore resorts and other places.

—Newton travellers find hope the most enjoyable place they have visited as the nights are now cool, and the frequent rains have revived the lawns and gardens.

—A young man named Ellis, employed at Ross's planing mill, had two fingers cut off by a buzz saw, Monday, and Dr. Frisbie who was called had him taken to the Cottage Hospital.

—The most severe rain storm of the season came just before daylight Wednesday morning. The water came down in sheets, and resembled a cloud-burst more than an ordinary rain storm.

—Mr. C. S. Decker has built up a good business in Newton by his excellent work, and gentlemen in want of custom made suits, overcoats, or anything in his line are invited to give him a call.

—Mr. Frederick Smith, now of Springfield, Ill., came on to attend the G. A. R. encampment and to visit his old friends in Newton. During his stay here he was the guest of Mr. Henry Fuller.

—Aban, Trowbridge & Co. have rented the east half of the Gould house, 51 Bennington street, to Mr. W. C. Woodward of Boston; also east half of house in Trowbridge court to Jno. B. Carter.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Allen have returned from their trip to Baltimore, which

they made by steamer, and during their absence they visited Freetown, Monroe, Washington and other points of interest.

—Come and hear F. F. Davidson of Auburndale give one of his stirring addresses at the Newton Y. M. C. A., Eliot Lower Hall, Sunday at 4 p. m. Mr. Sayford's address last Sabbath was deeply interesting.

—Commander S. S. Whitney of Charles Ward Post 62, was the guest last Saturday of Gen. Alger, commander-in-chief of the Republic, and spent a pleasant social hour with the general and his family in their apartments at the Vendome.

—Letter Carrier Dunn is taking his annual vacation and this morning he started off with a doubled-barrelled gun, 20 pounds of shot, any quantity of powder and some long rubber boots. His destination is unknown but there will be great slaughter somewhere.

—There is a great demand this season for moderate priced, attractive houses, and the supply is unusually limited, not more than half a dozen houses being vacant on the south side of the track. One real estate agent says if he had a hundred small houses that could be rented for from \$400 to \$500, he could dispose of them all within a month. It might pay some capitalist to put up such houses, as they could be built for \$4,000.

—The members of the Cemetery Superintendents' Association came to Newton on the 9:33 train this morning and took barges at the Newton depot for a drive about Newton, a visit to the city parks and the Newton Cemetery, which is considered one of the most attractive in the vicinity of Boston. The visitors leave Newton for Cambridge where they visit the Botanical Gardens and then take lunch with the superintendent at the cemetery at the foot of the hill, who has been chosen the president of the association.

—Mr. H. B. Coffin, one of our popular grocery dealers, has just put on a new Concord wagon which will be used in getting orders. It is a beauty with red running gear and handsomely varnished black body, the seat being luxuriously upholstered in a green shade of leather. The roan mare "Daisy" in a fine and becoming harness made by Hodgson completes the outfit, one of the finest of its class in all respects to be seen in this vicinity.

—Mrs. H. E. Hibbard and daughter and Mr. T. W. Trowbridge, wife and son were in the train that was wrecked at Quincy on Tuesday, and much alarm was felt until news of their safety reached their friends.

Mr. Trowbridge and family were in the next car after the one in which so many people were killed and injured, and he describes the cries of the injured as terrible.

Mr. Hibbard and daughter were in the second car, but fortunately escaped all injury.

—The two daintiest gowns at the Parker House, Kennebunkport, Me., on the 7th, says the Saturday Gazette, were worn by Miss Alice of Boston and Miss Alice Woodman of Newton. The latter wore a silver striped gauze over blue silk with a wreath of natural pink flowers in her hair.

Mrs. A. Allen's gown was delicate, rose colored silk made into a Greek front. She wore an antique throatlet of silver, long white gloves. Miss Mabel Kenrick of Newton wore another beautiful gown of old rose net, with velvet embroidered with silver.

—A dog jumped out at Mr. Stewart's team on Waban street, last evening, and the horse was frightened and fell, but was controlled by the driver. The dog then ran down Gardner street and plunged over an embankment, throwing the driver out, and wrecking the wagon. Fortunately the driver was not hurt and the horse was finally caught down on Water street. The embankment is a high and dangerous one and a large number of children were playing below; that none of them were hurt by the runaway was almost a miracle.

—A Newton young lady saw a peculiar feature in a church in Maine, and she visited this summer. Hearing the cooing of a dove she looked round and saw a white dove perched on the organ and listening to the music with great appreciation.

She learned afterwards that the dove had been a regular attendant at church for 8 or 10 years, being attracted by the music of which it was very fond. It was 12 years old and was the pet of a lady who lived near the church. The dove was taken to his Sunday school class by a boy, and seemed to enjoy the proceedings. Unlike many church goers the weather made no difference to him, but every Sunday, in summer and winter, he was at his post on the organ.

—The Republican state convention meets in Boston, Sept. 17, and the Democratic at Worcester the 15th.

—One of the richest as well as most ancient tin mining districts is in the Malay Peninsula, the Golden Chersonesus of the ancients. The name of the province, Perak, signifies silver, but it is peculiarly the province of tin.

—A Good Thing To Know. It is not infrequent during the fruit season for people to swallow large seeds; these are sometimes the cause of considerable suffering and occasionally death. The best medical authorities tell us that the most convenient and efficacious remedy can be found in the "Murphy" or "spud." The potatoes should be thoroughly cooked in various ways and then eaten in large quantities, no other food being taken for several days. The property is such that while expanding the stomach and intestines, they also cause them to relax to such a degree that any heavy article or obstruction is readily passed through with the mass.—Cal. Fruit Grower.

—She—What a wonderful thing is nature! How grand! How comprehensive! He—Yaas, even the smallest plant or the smallest insect has got a Latin name.—Texas Siftings.

—The mood for it: Humorist's boy—What makes papa so cross, mamma? Hummer's wife—Hash, darling! Your papa is writing side-splitting jokes for his paper.—Cape Cod Item.

—A reasonable suggestion.—Why do they publish so many dialect stories in the magazines? "Because it saves the proof-reader the trouble of correcting the spelling."—Puck.

—An enemy is an enemy, no matter whether he carries a flag or a musket. The man who desires only to be a sounding brass will never be anything else.

—One of the most powerful elements in every success is the determination to succeed.

—The best cook stove ever made will not bake a biscuit unless there is a good fire in it.

—The world is full of people who are right in their hearts and wrong in their heads.

—The man who takes everything for granted will fall through a good many bridges.

SENT A REPLY IN PROSE.

LETTER FROM OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES TO GEORGIA VETERANS.

During the visit to Beverly, last Friday, of Winfield Scott Hancock post 3 of Savannah, Ga., a call was made on Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes at Beverly Farms, and Mr. James O. Ladd of Charleston, S. C., presented the poet with the badge of Robert Anderson post of that city.

Mr. E. P. Sargent thought it would be a pleasant thing to have a short poem in relation to the incident, and wrote Mr. Holmes to that effect. He has received the following reply, which was read at a meeting of John H. Chipman, Jr., post 86, in Beverly, Wednesday evening:

BEVERLY FARMS, Aug. 18, 1890.

My Dear Sir—I cannot tell you how much gratified I was with the visit of yourself and your friends last week. I felt proud in receiving such a delegation of loyal soldiers and patriotic daughters of our noble country. You must allow me to express my thanks to you and to them for the honor they conferred upon me, in plain prose, for I could not do it so freely in the fetters of rhyme. I am especially grateful for the beautiful red badge of the Robert Anderson post 7 of the Grand Army of the Republic. It recalls the days when all eyes were turned toward that fortress and every northern heart, and not a few southern ones, were throbbing with one common impulse, to rush to the defence of the flag. It was for me a most memorable occasion when these friends, some of them my Beverly neighbors, others their southern and western guests, invaded my premises, not with muskets and bayonets, but with looks full of good will and words overflowing with kindness. It was something of a surprise, and I was not exactly armed and equipped for such an incursion, but I did my best to make my visitors feel that they were under the roof of a fellow-citizen, who only wishes he could make their peaceful expedition better worth remembering. With kindest regards to all the friends who honored me on the day which I shall always remember, I am, my dear sir, very cordially and truly yours,

OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES.

To Edward P. Sargent.

John Eliot and his Indian Bible.

The Old South Church in Boston was well filled Wednesday afternoon with as eager and interested a young audience as the most exacting lecturer could desire.

The subject of the talk this week was "John Eliot and his Indian Bible," a subject which the Rev. Edward G. Porter treated most satisfactorily in the time allotted him. He said that the efforts of our fathers to civilize and evangelize the Indians were a great, humane endeavor coming from a potent sentiment of justice and generosity. The Harvard charter mentioned that a part of the work of the college would be the training of "Indian youth." Most illustrious of the workers among the Indians was the Apostle Eliot. Born in 1604 in England, of comfortable circumstances, John Eliot obtained a degree at Cambridge University, and then became a teacher in Hooker's School. He became a minister of the Church of England, but owing to ecclesiastical controversies he came to this country. In 1632 he married Ann Mulford, a woman more than ordinarily endowed and possessing a knowledge of medicine. Upon his arrival in Boston Mr. Eliot became pastor of the First Church, Roxbury, but it was not long before he became interested in the Indians who came into the settlement. A visit to Martha's Vineyard and to Plymouth heightened his interest and caused him to offer his culture to the benefit of the red men. Through his efforts a society was formed for the propagation of the gospel among the Indians; the Nonantum Indians were the first which received the apostle's attention. A monument, now in Newton, commemorates this act. His method was first to give a sermon and then to permit the Indians to ask questions.

South Natick was chosen for a settlement of Christianized Indians, one of the most remarkable communities of the New World. The lecturer showed how John Eliot taught the Indians to be useful, and finally how he prepared his celebrated Bible. In most cases Eliot's Indians were true to their faith.

Field Day to Newport, R. I.

The Newton Natural History Society's "Field Day" to Newport will be held on Tuesday, Aug. 26th, if the weather is favorable. The party will leave the Old Colony depot in Boston at 8:30 a. m., arrive in Newport a little past 11. Returning the party will leave Newport at 5:15 p. m., and will be due in Newton at 7:35. There will be ample time for the beautiful ten mile ocean drive, around by some of the most noted residences, the Redwood Library, Old Stone Mill, Channing Memorial church, old Jewish church, bathing beach, cliff walk, etc. Round trip tickets will be there are enough of the party desiring to take the ocean drive the expense will be fifty cents each. Rides in various directions to the different parts of the city at from five to twenty-five cents. If the morning looks unfavorable the persons gathering in the O. C. R. R. station can decide whether or not to make the excursion. Lunch should be carried. All are cordially invited to accompany the society on this excursion. Those who wish to go can notify Dr. J. F. Frisbie, Newton, and obtain tickets of him Tuesday morning at the depot.

Butler vs. McKinley.

(Cambridge Chronicle.)

Referring to the fight between McKinley and Butler at the big camp-fire we would like to ask the general whose country it was that the soldiers saved? Was it not their own? Were they not under obligations to save it? Have they not saved it for themselves? This idea that the Union veterans conferred a great favor on the country is true, but the inference is sometimes wrong. We hold that the soldiers are "the country" themselves, in an important sense, and what they did for the country they did for themselves. It is strange to think of paying men for such a sacrifice as the Union soldiers made.

There are just two kinds of people in this world. Those who are right and those who are wrong.

That good old joke: "I thought you said your wife was dressed an hour ago?" "She was, but I think she must have stopped to put on her hat."—New York Sun.

SERMON TO NEWTON VETERANS.

REV. DR. HUBBELL OF BUFFALO SPEAKS OF THE BIBLE VIEW OF WAR.

The members of Charles Ward post 02, G. A. R., attended services Sunday evening in the Second Congregational Church. The veterans occupied seats in the front of the auditorium, which contained also a large gathering representing various denominations. The pulpit, platform and galleries were tastefully decorated for the occasion with flags and bunting, arranged under the direction of Comrade C. M. Kimball and members of J. Wiley Edmonds camp 100 S. of V.

The services opened with congregational singing, followed by prayer Rev. H. J. Patrick, pastor of the church, after which a sermon was delivered by Rev. Dr. Hubbell of Buffalo, a member of the Grand Army of the Republic. The reverend gentleman took his text from Exodus xv: 2: "The Lord is a man of war: the Lord is his name name." In alluding to the Bible view of war, the speaker said, the Bible recognizes the need of warfare against the sin and wrong which exists on earth. The relations of Christianity to war, he continued, are adjusted by the conduct of Christ and his disciples toward the soldiers of the New Testament. Jesus came to preach the gospel of peace, but even under this gospel we find a recognition of the stern necessity of war. The reasons which often lead to war are unparaphrasedly condemned by our Saviour. But the saying still remains true that the Lord is a man of war under the gospel of his son. Our Saviour prophesies that nation shall rise up against nation and kingdom against kingdom. When a nation's existence is threatened, the appeal to arms may yet again become unavoidable. The presence of these veterans shows that the citizen soldier has been needed to save this country from destruction even within the memory of the most of us. The New Testament does not forbid patriotism, but fans its flame to a purer, brighter glow. It is sweet to die for country. It represents the very element of sacrifice which Jesus embodied on the cross. There are worse things than war. It is not the direst calamity to overcome a nation. Peace is not innocent of wrong. A pusillanimous peace is worse for national morals than a righteous war. Peace and slavery was worse than war and freedom for the slave.

Our own national struggle required 2,494 battles on land and sea. It was decided; 2,700,000 Union soldiers were engaged under the stars and stripes and 1,500,000 saw actual service; 912,043 casualties occurred to the boys in blue; \$4,000,000 was the cost of putting down the great rebellion, and 113,954 of the 600,000 in Rebel armies were held in line to surrender at its close. Such an issue, waged under the stars and stripes, none of the apostles foresaw and perhaps would have denied its possibility. Yet it came to pass. Questions of right and justice may even now compel a Christian nation to draw the sword. Men of prayer and of piety may volunteer for the cause, but each as a defender of what he believes to be worth the risk of even the loss of his life on the battle field. When the peaceable way of settling national disputes is unavailing, then war may be necessary, either for self-defense or for progress. Justice and righteousness and honor may yet again require the dreadful sacrifice of war. War is hateful and dreadful like pestilence, or conflagration or famine. It left deep scars not yet outgrown on the fair face of this land, but it left honorable scars on the veterans before me. They decorate you above many a sleek and well-fed civilian who no bounty could hire and no draft could entrap to risk his dear self as food for powder, where only brave men barred treason's path to Washington.

The moral qualities exhibited by a true-hearted patriot who lays down his life on the battle field for country are so valuable that the world is not willing to forget them. This explains the absence of all disparagement in the New Testament toward the profession of arms. This explains why the Christian life is so often mentioned as a warfare. We cannot spare from the portrait of his humanity those notable features. Men who will leave home, abandon ease and comfort, cast aside all questions of property, submit to the most pitiless reversal of rank and position, nerve themselves to advance when all within them cries out for leave to flee, persist in fighting a struggle in which their lips grow white, while their own grave yards ready to swallow them,—such men must be ennobled by their sacrifice, must be glorified both in life and in death.

Our citizen soldiers were not professional fighters. They were not trained and hardened against the fear of death, with a mere animal defiance. In most cases, they were fine examples of self-devotion on the altar of their country. They gladly sheathed their swords and returned to peace. Knowing all the horrors of war, they are not in favor of its renewal, but they would go forth again to the battle if their country called. Again would they volunteer even in old age or feebleness if the land they love was in need of defenders. Such men are good peace-makers throughout our land. Bless God that half a million men who wore the blue of that great struggle and who still survive at the North besides thousands of loyal and reconstructed Confederates at the South.

In conclusion, the speaker said: "While sin and wrong last, man will push them to the stage of war. There will be a kingdom of peace, but as yet it is a great way off. Only when the gospel reigns over all the earth will the last sword be sheathed forever and the nations learn war no more. To preach and to live the gospel is then the surest way of peace."

Helping the Boys.

Don't frown on the boys' enthusiastic "crazes," as we may please to term them, over one thing and another. All these innocent hobbies tide boys over places which otherwise might be filled with amusements not innocent. There is marble time and baseball time—knees to be protected and patched, baseball suits to be made or bought. But these things are not costly purchases; so get them. If the boy has room on his father's premises, let him indulge in another craze, poultry keeping. His favorite literature he finds in poultry magazines, and his recreation in caring for his fowls. They may not be found a paying investment financially, but they are a paying investment in certain ways. But after a time the hard work of poultry raising may give place to the lighter one of rabbit-feeding, and for the time being every boy in the community comes into the yard to see the family of pretty white rabbits, which are being so well cared for. But there comes a day when rabbits are not so much of a pleasure as stamp collect-

ing would be, and the rabbits are sold to procure money to invest in a stamp album. Then the stamp album comes into consideration next, and all the family, the teachers and school companions, including the minister and other choice friends, are asked to contribute to the pages of the stamp album. Country boys have plenty of range for their schemes in out-door pastimes; but city boys are hemmed in, oftentimes; in such a way that it requires considerable tact and financing to keep them innocently and happily employed. Time and money and interest in boy's "crazes" of these kinds pay a good dividend, and parents should help on the carrying out of them, and consider them of importance enough to be looked into by father's more practical experience and mother's more patient endeavors.

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- E. P. THURSTON, Librarian. Aug. 20, 1890.

An original composition: Here is Tommy's version of "The Ox and the Frog." "An ox stamped on the frog and squashed him. Brothers and sisters ran home and told their mother, and she said, 'How big was he?' and they said, 'Awful big,' and she said, 'As big as this.' And swelled herself out; and they said, 'If you do that again, you'll bust!' and the old fule done it again and busted. Morrel—Never make a fule of your self."—Harper's Bazar.

Yeast—"Do you quarrel with your neighbor yet about his hen coming over in your garden?" Crimmonbeak—"No; we're all over that now." "Buried the hatchet?" "No, better still; buried the hen."—Yonkers Statesman.

Perhaps no local disease has puzzled and baffled the medical profession more than nasal catarrh. While not immediately fatal it is among the most distressing and disgusting of the flesh is heir to, and the records show very few or cases of radical cure of chronic catarrh by any of the multitude of modes of treatment until the introduction of Ely's Cream Balm a few years ago. The success of this preparation has been most gratifying and surprising.

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What the Woolen Manufacturers Said in 1885.

(Extracts from a pamphlet issued by their National Association in response to Secretary Manning's circular.)

"It is necessary for us to enlarge somewhat upon a peculiarity of our manufactures before alluded to, namely: its subject, upon grounds of public policy, to a high duty on raw material. The American manufacturer is engaged in a perpetual struggle with the manufacturers of Europe for the possession of the markets of this country. As before said, the advantages of our competitors are our obstacles.

In this strife the European manufacturer possesses the advantage, which would be overwhelming if not counteracted by special legislation, of having the raw material of his manufacture free from duty—no duties on wool existing in Great Britain, France, Belgium, the Netherlands, and very slight duties, if any, in other manufacturing nations. Our European competitors are exempt from the direct enhancement by a duty, of the cost of wool, thus requiring less capital to supply their mills, and no cost of interest on the duty required in carrying their stocks of wool and goods.

They are free from the apprehension of changes in the value of wool, such as have taken place in this country in consequence of no less than 17 changes in the tariff on wools within the memory of living manufacturers.

They are exempt from the duties on wool-substitutes so usefully employed to mix with wool in the manufacture of the cheaper and heavier cloths—duties which with us are absolutely prohibitory.

They are able from the lower cost of their raw material, to relieve themselves from over-production by consigning their surplus stocks at comparatively slight sacrifice to foreign markets to which their cheapness has already introduced them. They are not compelled, as we are, to discriminate in their choice of wool to avoid the effect of the duty and are able to select their wools in any condition, whether unwashed, washed or scoured, with reference only to their desirable qualities. Through freedom of importation they have near markets as London, Havre, Antwerp and Berlin, offering vast assortments and a steady supply of all kinds of wool—advantages especially favorable to the small manufacturer.

This exemption from all restrictions in the selection of raw material, together with the facilities for supply and the certainty that values will not be disturbed by legislation, is believed to be the chief cause of a characteristic of the European woolen industry, namely, that the manufacturer abroad obtains success by adhering with steady attention to the special fabrics he has undertaken to make, and in which he has acquired excellence; while diversification of manufactures, so necessary to prevent over-production, is encouraged by the equal availability of all varieties and conditions of the raw material; washed wools in class one are subject to twice the duty of unwashed wool and the duty on scoured wool is three times that of unwashed—an arrangement which compels the importation of class one wools to be in the greasy state, necessitating the transportation charges on from 2-4 to 3 lbs. of grease and dirt in the wool required for a pound of cloth.

The effect of compulsion to buy greasy wools and pay a heavy specific duty on their impurities is that the American manufacturer is thereby obliged to give undue preference to light condition over firmness and the other qualities of wools offering in foreign markets. * * * To these considerations it should be added that the high specific duty on clothing wools, a duty irrespective of the cost, practically excludes the cheap and abundant clothing wools of South America and by freeing them from our competition for their purchases makes them much cheaper than they would be to the manufacturers of France, Belgium and Germany.

By the division into classes, the importer is prevented from selecting wools near the line no matter how desirable. * * * It will be seen from the above that we are subjected, in consequence of wool duties deemed necessary for the protection of the domestic wool industry, not only to an enhancement of the cost of our own raw materials, but to stringent limitations in choosing the best sources of supply for our various wants,—disadvantages from which our foreign competitors are wholly exempt, and to which no other branch of domestic industry is subjected to any material extent.

It may be said that a remedy for these difficulties is to be found in the exclusive use of the domestic wool, which will be abundantly supplied under due protection. To this we reply, that neither our own country nor any other in the world does or can produce to advantage wools of all kinds and grades. Experience under high protection of wool in this country for over 30 years has demonstrated that our domestic wool growers find it to their advantage to produce only the staple wools required for the ordinary range of woolen fabrics; and as these fabrics will always be in demand, they build up their flocks—a work of time—for the production only of the fleeces which will be profitable for a long series of years.

This system, although providing admirable raw material for common goods is incompatible with the variety required for the diversified and highly advanced manufacture which should be our aim.

The American manufacturer, to compete with the fabrics of other nations in the endless variety demanded by our times, must have the power of selecting a portion of his raw material from the world's sources of supply.

Duties on drugs, dye stuffs and other imported material are estimated from authentic data at an average of 2-12 cts. to the pound of cloth.

Was the terribly depressing industrial effect of our tariff on raw material ever more vividly set forth?

Considering its source can the truth of the statement be questioned? Can any reasonable man doubt that a removal of the tariff on raw materials will do more than anything else to benefit our industries?

LIGHT FROM KANSAS.

A PROMINENT REPUBLICAN NEWSPAPER RENOUNCES PROTECTION.

(From the Atchison Champion (Rep.), July 31.)

When such recognized Republican leaders as James G. Blaine and Preston B. Plumb essay to depart very widely from their life-long convictions on the tariff question, it certainly will not be seriously contended that other Republicans, who have never faltered in their adherence to the protective-tariff idea, forfeit their party standing or furnish grounds for impeaching their Republicanism, if they too, upon mature deliberation, make bold to express views on that subject at variance with the accepted party dogmas.

For over thirty years The Champion has advocated and defended the protective-tariff theory. It has argued this question with all the logic at its command. It has furnished columns of facts and figures in support of protection versus free trade. Sincere in its belief that the only true economic policy for this country was "protection to American industries," it has neglected no opportunity to set forth its advantages, and to combat what it has invariably designated the free trade heresy. Being a Republican journal, it has specially emphasized this Republican doctrine.

Recently, however, The Champion has discovered certain reasons for very materially changing its mind on this subject, and at this writing it has no hesitancy in declaring that, all sentiment and bias aside, while a protective tariff is a decided and almost indispensable benefit to the East, the great manufacturing and financial stronghold of our country, for the West, the great agricultural area of our land, it is a positive injury, a barrier to its progress, an insurmountable hindrance to its development, and an effective stopper to its material prosperity.

What has led The Champion to this conclusion, this radical change in its economic opinions? Briefly this: It has found that under the dominance of the protective idea the East has steadily grown in wealth at the expense and to the detriment of the West. In other words, that Eastern manufacturers and capitalists have increased their accumulations enormously, while the farmers of the West have, during the same period, made no proportionate gain, but on the contrary have been reduced to a condition of vassalage, of tribute-paying serfs. To put it in still another form, The Champion has found that the East, aided and abetted by a protective tariff, have made money in fabulous sums, while the farmers of the West have been scarcely able to maintain themselves respectably. Not only so, but Eastern manufacturers and capitalists have, by reason of the protective tariff, been placed in a position where their financial power gives them practical control of our Government in all its departments, despite the votes and wishes of the people of the Western States—who, by reason of being large creditors, of necessity borrowers of and dependents upon the East, are virtually politically disfranchised.

These facts have induced The Champion at this time to make public its conviction that a protective tariff is one of the many things the West does not want and cannot afford to sustain.

The Western farmer has no interest whatever in a protective tariff. His interest rather lies in the direction of free trade—of access to all markets—wherever his products may be in demand. It is for his interest to sell what he raises wherever in all the wide world he can find a purchaser, and thus provide himself with the means of disposing of his surplus crops. Not only is he vitally interested in securing all possible markets, but equally so in buying what he needs as cheaply as possible. Sell where he may, and buy at the lowest figures; this, selfish as it may seem, is what most concerned the Western farmer.

Free trade will give the West the markets of the world, and an opportunity to buy what it requires at less than half its now pays for these same articles.

Lumber, hardware, furniture, clothing, groceries, and agricultural implements—these the West needs principally. Free trade will bring these things to us at figures far below protective prices. In all this The Champion speaks solely from the standpoint of self-interest. It is with States and sections as with individual citizens—self-preservation is the first obligation. A due regard to our sectional preservation, our territorial interest, demands the adoption of free trade—commercial reciprocity with all nations. The East, as we have stated, has grown dangerously rich by means of a protective tariff; now let the West assert itself and use the means at its command to change its economic policy to one more conducive to sectional welfare.

This question is broader than party lines. It is more vital than mere formal political organizations, and more essential than the dominance of any particular set of politicians, for it touches our very existence.

Protection continued twenty years longer, and the West, with its vast agricultural possibilities, would be a pauper bound hand and foot. Let us who live here in the West be fools no longer, but let us exercise our common sense and protect our own interests by obtaining, just as quickly as possible, the freest trade with all its attendant benefits.

A Dream Strangely Fulfilled.

In 1862 I lived in the Shenandoah valley and was betrothed to a lieutenant in the Southern army. On the second of July I expected him home, but owing to the irregularity of our modes of travel, did not know at what time he would arrive. I waited until 12 o'clock, and as he did not come, I extinguished the light and threw myself upon a lounge.

I fell asleep, but awoke with a start, and found the room dimly lighted and the lieutenant standing beside me, looking listlessly pale and his uniform stained with blood.

I jumped up and exclaimed: "Oh, Tom, what is the matter?" He answered: "I am dead. Go tell my mother and hurry to the field. I was mortally wounded, and knew you would grieve less if you could find my body, so I crawled up on the hill under a pine tree to die." Then all was dark.

His mother and I went to battle field, and under an old pine tree we found him dead, his uniform stained with blood, just as I had seen it the night before.—New York World.

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Above Suspicion.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC:

It is a sad reflection that of all the money floating around the state house from the West End Treasury not a cent, as far as known, came to Newton. It is a sad reflection that when men from the back towns of Worcester county secured some of the "seigniorage" of Newton for their influence in the West End did not think any Newton man worth buying. It is the severest blow Newton has ever received in a long time, and the City Council ought to be at once instructed to secure at any price a first class lobbyist, and make him a resident of Newton, so that when so many thousands of dollars are being carelessly thrown about, Newton can secure some benefit. At present, all of Newton's influential men seem to be virtuous, even if they are poor, and it seems to be about the only town in the state that is not represented on Mr. Whitney's list of pensioners.—July 1th, 1890.

The bestowment of favors of gratuities upon public officials, by parties in interest before them, and the acceptance of the same by such officials, are acts already illegal in most if not all the states; but in spite of the law this scandal is constantly perpetrated. The acceptance of a railroad pass by a state legislator is an indecent and infamous act. No honest legislation can be looked for from men who will take such favors. It would be wise to insist that would always interrogate candidates for the Legislature upon this subject, requiring of them express declarations of their purposes. The violation of our Legislatures by the money power is one of the great sources of political corruption; and voters are bound to keep vigilant eyes upon their representatives, and to exact a strict account from them.—July 1th, 1890.

The above editorials in the GRAPHIC of recent date seem to me to be worthy of consideration and careful thought by the citizens of Newton. While it would seem from the West End investigation that no citizen of Newton was worth buying out it does not follow that there are not several lobbyists or members of the third house residing in the city of Newton, for in former years they have been employed for what influence they could exert, but it is a well known fact that the present representatives in the Legislature from Newton are honest men who could not be bribed or influenced to do what was not right, hence it was of little use to employ members of the third house who might claim that they could influence our representatives; and it is a credit that the city ought to be well proud of that she is represented by such men who were found in all their voting last year on the right side.

The following extract from the Congressional list of June 26th editorial on the third house in connection with your editorial of July 1th, seems to me strikes the nail on the head.

"Thus lobbying becomes blackmailing. Its influence—beginning with the habit of the railroad of offering, and of the members of accepting, free passes over their lines—in its present proportions, is thoroughly bad. It is dangerous to the honesty of law-makers, and of those who seek to have law made. The best scheme can be assured of success only through a liberal expenditure of money, a large part of which goes into the pockets of those who are in the way of the progress of good legislation."

The writer knows of a representative living in an adjoining town who had a pass on three railroads during the years of 1888 and '89, and it is time this scandal of accepting passes from railroads was stopped, or else the parties accepting same be left at home by the people. It has been the custom I believe of previous representatives from Newton in the Legislature of accepting passes from the B. & A. R. R., but I am glad to hear that the present representatives, Mr. G. D. Gilman and E. J. Rundett have returned their passes to the B. & A. and pay their fare into Boston. All honor to such men who will dare to do right and act out the dictates of their conscience irrespective of railroad passes or the influence of members of the third house. CORRIE.

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"Cyrus, I want you to go down-town with me. I want to pick out a new necktie for you." "Have you got one, enough before the shops close, Emily?" replied the capitalist consulting his watch. "Yes if we hurry. It's only a little after 1 o'clock." "All right my dear. Go and get ready. I've got to step around the corner and buy a railroad. I'll be back in 10 minutes."—Chicago Tribune.

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A Georgia editor, says the Atlanta Constitution, borrowed a mule to plow his garden. When quiet was restored the editor was found under an outhouse, four panels of the fence were gone and the mule was eating roasting ears in a neighboring truck-patch.

It has come to be so much a matter of course for Massachusetts to re-elect her governors for one or more terms of late that a governor declining to accept office for his second year would in effect, admit his administration to have been a failure. It is not surprising therefore, to find Gov. Brackett desiring a re-election, and indicating to accept any other office in place of it at present.—Boston Herald.

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A. C. WALWORTH FOR SENATOR.

The friends of Mr. Arthur C. Walworth are very enthusiastic in his favor and gentlemen from all the wards in the city have endorsed the mention of his name made in the GRAPHIC. They recall the circumstances of the contest made two years ago, when there were four candidates in the field, and although Mr. Walworth had more delegates than any of the others, yet the fact that the Newton delegation was divided prevented Mr. Walworth's receiving the honor that he had fairly earned, by his excellent record in the House.

Of Mr. Walworth's position it may be said that he was in favor of Mr. Slocum, as he stated in his letter in the GRAPHIC, but as Mr. Slocum has declined, he will do nothing to seek the office for himself. Indeed his friends are having hard work to find him, as he is away on his vacation, and only makes brief visits at his Boston store. He will not ask for the support of any man, but if his friends secure the support of a majority of the Newton delegates he can not refuse to allow his name to be used. Mr. Walworth does not believe in soliciting votes or influence and thinks that the old-fashioned doctrine of the office seeking the man is the one that should be followed.

Of Mr. Walworth's record as a member of the House, our readers are already familiar, and it need only be said that it was what would be expected of one of the leading citizens of Newton, a man whom no amount of money could buy to support any corporation scheme that was against the interests of the public, and who could always be depended on to take the right side. The Senate is a very important body, its members are few and it is peculiarly exposed to attacks from the lobby, so that a great deal depends on the character of its members. For this reason it is very important that the best man should be chosen, and one who would have no personal interest in any legislation that would come before the Senate.

Another strong argument in Mr. Walworth's favor is that the other towns in the district are favorably disposed towards him, as has been learned by a number of interviews with leading Republicans from those towns. The contest two years ago made them acquainted with him, and they have kept an eye on him since, expecting that he would be the candidate this year. They recognize that he was rather unfairly treated then, and they are disposed to make amends this year by giving him their support. He is believed to be the strongest candidate that Newton can send to the convention, and this fact ought to have weight with the voters.

Newton will have fourteen delegates this year, while Waltham's number has been reduced to twelve, so that Newton is still the most important place in the district, that is, if we consider Newton one city, instead of a collection of half a dozen small towns, as one would infer from the usual divided state of our delegations.

GRADE CROSSINGS.

A correspondent points out the need of immediate action if Newton is to have any of her dangerous grade crossings abolished. Under the recent law the city or town only pays ten per cent of the cost, while the railroad pays 65 and the commonwealth the remainder. But only \$500,000 of the State's money can be spent in a year, and the total amount is limited to five millions. Consequently those cities and towns which get their application in first will have the best chance to secure the benefit, while those who wait until the fund is all taken up will have to wait, probably indefinitely.

The Boston & Albany has a very liberal fund for this work, given to them by a generous legislature, although the people will have to pay the interest on the new stock, about double what would have been required if the legislature had been as solicitous for the interests of the public as they were for those of the Boston and Albany corporation. The votes on this measure have interfered with the ambition of many members of that legislature, as the public do not like to have their burdens unnecessarily increased.

The Boston & Albany corporation used the argument at that time that one of the reasons for which they asked such a munificent gift was to do away with the dangerous grade crossings in Newton, and a great show was made of surveys at the most frequented stations, and plans were ostentatiously discussed. Since the bill passed, however, no railroad survey has been seen, and the plans for doing away with the Newton crossings appear to have been mislaid, or at any rate forgotten.

There are six dangerous crossings in

Newton on the main line of the road, and that fatal accidents are not of frequent occurrence is the result of good luck solely. Hairbreadth escapes are of daily occurrence, and the fast expresses dash through Newton, and that some one is not killed every week at the Walnut street crossing in Newtonville, where only one gate tender is employed and the flimsy gates are of very little use, only shows that Newton people are born under a lucky star. Within a week a crowd of spectators were horrified at the narrow escape of two ladies who crossed in front of an express train, and were only about a second in advance of the train. Let a fatal accident happen, and there would be a loud and strenuous demand for the abolition of the crossing, but why not make the demand now, before the accident happens?

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE.

Col. Edward H. Haskell of Newton would make a most excellent secretary of the Commonwealth for Massachusetts. He is one of the most approachable and courteous of gentlemen, he is a soldier of most honorable record, he has had experience in state affairs as a member of the Legislature and of the executive council, he has a large personal and business acquaintance, and all in all we know of no man in Massachusetts better fitted for the position, and whose nomination for it would contribute more to the strength of the republican state ticket. We happen to know that Col. Haskell has already discouraged any movement in behalf of his candidacy on the ground of business engagements, but we are not getting to that situation in regard to the public service of this Commonwealth, when the right man for an important position must defer his personal wishes to the desires of the people and the necessities of the public service.—[Springfield Union.]

The above editorial from the Springfield Union is attracting attention, and such a nomination would give great pleasure to Col. Haskell's many warm friends in Newton. His efficient service in the G. A. R. Encampment has given him a warm place in the hearts of all the old soldiers, who would welcome such a representation on the state ticket, and it would seem as if Massachusetts ought to show in some way her appreciation of patriotic service, by choosing an old soldier to a high state office. The Springfield Union is an influential Republican newspaper, and what it says has great influence in the western part of the state. All who know Col. Haskell will cordially endorse all that the Union says in his favor.

ELECTRIC RAILWAYS.

The Boston Daily Advertiser has sent an invitation to each of the mayors throughout the United States, in municipalities where an electric railway is operating, to send an opinion as to whether the railways are operating satisfactorily, whether accidents have been frequent, and whether the people have any apprehension regarding the overhead system. For the replies in full, we refer our readers to the Advertiser and Record of Aug. 14.

The answers are practically unanimous in favor of the electric system and, while many of them express a hope that the storage battery will some day do away with the overhead system, none of them indicate that such a battery now exists and all say, with one exception, that the people have no apprehension, are delighted with the new system, and that it is in every way far superior and more desirable than the old, and that travel has largely increased. Indeed, the responses could not have been more favorable to the new system, which is evidently growing very rapidly in popularity. Few accidents have happened and people feel no apprehension.

The mistake of rushing the McKinley bill through the House without any opportunity for debate or for the study of its provisions is becoming more evident, the longer it is debated in the Senate. Congressman Morse now applies to Senator Hoar to ask him to do what Mr. Morse should have done in the House, present a protest in behalf of the tack manufacturers of his district against the change of classification made by the McKinley bill in steel plate and sheet iron. The letter which he took over to the Senate claimed that the bill takes steel plate and sheet iron out of the steel paragraph and classes them with sheet iron. The tariff thereby is increased to \$15 a ton by the change in classification. Mr. Morse's correspondents state that they can use certain cheap plates which they import at small cost, enabling them to compete with the western tack makers who have their source of supply close at hand in the western mines. They state that the proposed duty will absolutely prohibit importation and can hardly fail, if enacted, to crush out the tack making interest of New England.

EX-GOVERNOR AMES appears to be thoroughly converted to the cause of tariff reform, and he says emphatically that there is no longer any need of excessively high duties. Curiously enough, the extreme protectionist Washington correspondent of the Boston Journal says that these high duties are for the benefit of certain Pennsylvania monopolies, and warns Senator Quay that unless he gives up his opposition to the Force bill, the New England Senators will smash the McKinley bill and vote for the interests of their own states. This is certainly a curious statement for one in the confidence of the majority to make. Why should not the New England Senators vote for the interests of New England anyway, or were they elected only to look after Pennsylvania. Evidently the friends of the McKinley bill were wise to force it through the House without any chance for debate, as all these recriminations have a bad effect upon the people.

The Milford Journal continues to attack the tariff and this week says:

Ex-Gov. Ames is on his way back from Europe. There's nothing for him to come for, in a political sense, unless it be to attempt to convince the public that he ought to have free iron and free coal for the manufacture of his shovels, but the latter still continue to be heavily protected from foreign competition.

Pray, is ex-Gov. Ames any worse than any other of the men who wish to make money out of the "dear people?" They all want to buy cheap and sell dear, and want the government to help them in the process. If New England is to continue in the manufacturing business it has got to get its raw materials at a less price than at present, and this Gov. Ames and all the other manufacturers realize.

IN AN interview with Henry Cabot Lodge, he is reported to have "named one district, now represented by a Republican, as one in which there would be a fight, with a chance for Democratic success." It is inferred by this that Congressman Lodge had the Ninth District in mind, and he evidently pities Mr. Candler because he has no navy yard in his district, and has not made friends openly with the Spoilsmen, which the Nahant member believes is sure to win success for himself. Nevertheless, Congressman Candler is quite as useful a member as Mr. Lodge and certainly his course in Congress reflects greater honor on the State which he represents. A mere politician may be useful to his party, but in the large field of usefulness to the country at large he has a very small place.

The Framingham Gazette says that the Dessau forgery case was settled in this way: The forgery case against M. M. Dessau, came up in the Framingham District court Saturday morning, and the ex-political agitator as well as his buxom wife, was there. It was evident that a reconciliation between the two had been effected, as on this occasion the lady was not certain whether she signed the alleged forged note or not, and took advantage of the privilege the law allows a woman, and refused to testify against her husband. As the whole case depended upon her testimony, there was no use in proceeding, so the judge ordered the defendant discharged. Councillor Byron Truell of Lawrence, who loaned \$100 on the note, was present, but took no part in the case.

In regard to the talk about the impossibility of renominating Attorney General Waterman, and the great enthusiasm for some other candidate the Worcester Journal says:

About this time last year nothing on earth could be more certain, according to the statements of a few loud mouthed people, than that Attorney General Waterman was a dead cock in the pit-a-goner, so to speak. His renomination, they said, was simply out of the question. We noticed that Attorney General Waterman "made the rifles" all the same. He got the nomination without opposition and distanced all competitors at the polls.

Attorney General Waterman is a sound lawyer, a straight-forward man, a loyal Republican, and the best thing the party can do is to keep him right where he is. They know it and are going to do it—one more year, at least.

THE Democrats of this district in looking around for a candidate have discussed the merits of a number of prominent gentlemen, and Mr. E. B. Haskell of this city and of the Boston Herald is spoken of with a good deal of favor. He is one of the leading tariff reformers in the district and has personally done a good deal of hard work in behalf of the cause. He is also in a position to have greater influence at Washington than almost any other man who could be sent from this district, and would draw all the independent votes, which is essential to any hope of Democratic success in the coming campaign. Mr. Moses Williams of Brookline is also mentioned.

A Boston paper says that quite a fight is on in the council district now represented by Mr. Fuller of Cambridge. He has had two years and is not averse to serving a third, but Chelsea offers a candidate against him in the person of Col. C. A. Campbell, whose friends claim that inasmuch as Mr. Fuller's supporters defeated E. M. McPherson after he had served two years, Mr. Fuller ought not to expect any more. Another candidate is also announced in Col. E. S. Barrett of Concord, an active Republican worker in that section. If Mr. Fuller decides to go in, as between him and Col. Campbell, there will be lively times.

Crop failures seem to be the order of the day. The wheat yield is below the average all over the world. The corn crop will be less than one-third that of last year. Potatoes are small and few in a hill in this country and a total failure in Ireland. The peach crop is a failure, apples are nearly so, all kinds of fruits and vegetables have been injured by the drought, and the coming winter will probably see high prices the rule on all food products.

GOVERNOR BRACKETT will have soon to appoint a judge of the Supreme and another of the Superior Court, and the Newton people would be very much pleased to have him appoint as one of them Hon. Thomas Weston of this city, who is well fitted for such a position. He has been prominently mentioned by all the papers, and his standing as a lawyer entitles him to the honor of such a position.

THE Natick Citizen says that Congressman Candler spoke in that town several times and that he is "a right smart kind of a talker." Well the GRAPHIC said he was not a "speaker" but we are willing to admit that he is a "talker," as there is a wide difference between the two. There are lots of men who talk, but very few who ever say anything.

THE BOSTON HERALD had the first authentic news concerning the terrible railroad disaster at Quincy, its correspondents being first on the scene of the wreck. The great New England daily always shows commendable enterprise and generally manages to get there in season.

THE Republican Ward and City Committee meet to-morrow night to decide upon the date of the caucuses, which must be held on or before September 10. The Democratic Ward and City Committee will meet this evening to decide on a date for their ward caucuses.

BRUSH.

I have learned a beautiful lesson,
Taught by the sweet peace standing there,
Those little clouds of sunset glory,
Caught out of time in morning air.
You see their fragrant blossoms nodding,
Purple, crimson, and pale rose blushing,
On tender stems the slightest breeze men
Without the helping, hidden brush.
To its brown arms, so strong and trusty,
The little tendrils cleave and cling.
The vine, unhelped, in dust were lying,
A fallen, bruised, and flowerless thing.
And yet the brush itself was barren,
Unquickened at the summer's kiss,
It bore no scent or sign of blossom,
But now it blooms again like this.
I think it must forget the sadness
Of its own broken life, and glow
With love for all the warmth and sunshine
That makes the sweet peace here and blow.
It may seem but a dreary failure,
Deadened and storm tossed, dulled with strife,
But it has helped to bear the blossoms
That crown and cheer the garden life.
—Bessie Chandler in Harper's Bazar.

The Friends.

The originators of this Society of Friends are thus mentioned by a writer in the London "Times."

Two centuries have now passed away since the decease of Geo. Fox, Robert Barclay, the two chief pillars amongst the founders of the Society of Friends, of which body the former was the most influential organizer, whilst the latter was its recognized theological exponent. Both died in 1691. Fox breathed his last in White Hart court, Lombard street, whence his remains were borne, followed by a long procession of 3000 Friends, marching in order, three abreast, to the Bunhill Fields Burial Ground, which has since been erected on a portion of that long disused cemetery. Barclay was laid to rest in a very different spot—in the grounds of his family estate at Uxbridge, in the breezy Scotch hills, above Stonehaven.

Young man (with young woman on his arm)—Can you tell me the way to Maple street, Sir. Young woman—And please, sir, will you tell us the longest way around, because we are in no hurry at all, sir.—Burlington Free Press.

"Jones prides himself on his learning." "So I believe." "Self-educated?" "Wholly so." Does he know Latin? "I should say so. Why, man, when he writes to the paper he signs himself 'Pro Bono Publico.'"—Boston Courier.

First Artist—I received a magnificent tribute to my skill the other day at the exhibition. Second artist—Indeed! What was it? First artist—You know my picture "A storm at Sea." Well, a man and his wife were viewing it, and I overheard the fellow say: "Come away, my dear, that picture makes me sick."—America.

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HARLOW—FOWLER—At Somerville, Aug. 4, by Rev. Chas. H. Rhodes, William O. Harlow of Newton and Adelaide F. Fowler of Somerville.

DIED.

BULLARD—At Newton Lower Falls, Aug. 13, Robert S. Bullard, 59 years, 3 months, 22 days.

CUSHING—At Newton Upper Falls, Aug. 20, Dennis Cushing, 23 years, 25 days.

MERRILL—At Malden, Mrs. Susan H. wife of Rev. T. A. Merrill, formerly of Weymouth.

McKEEN—At Newton Centre, Aug. 10, Richard Conrad, son of John and Mary Cogrove McKee, 9 months, 15 days.

FORD—At Newton, Aug. 14, John J., son of Jas. and Mary T. Ford, 4 months, 18 days.

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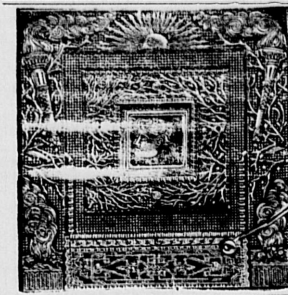
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We make this offer to reduce our stock, which consist of

NEWTONVILLE.

—Mrs. H. V. Pinkham is at Jefferson, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. Stickney are at home again.

—Officer Bosworth is taking his annual vacation.

—Mrs. H. B. Hackett has returned from Bar Harbor.

—Miss Grace Pinkham has returned from Richmond Springs.

—Miss May Hackett is spending a few weeks at Westboro.

—Mr. and Mrs. Deatour have returned from Exeter, N. H.

—C. E. Hutchinson has returned from Popham Beach, Me.

—Mrs. Shack, Bowers street, is visiting friends in Vermont.

—Robert Hill has been spending a few days at Marblehead.

—Mr. C. A. Purdy and family have returned from Gloucester.

—Mrs. Willard Higgins is spending her vacation at Laconia, N. H.

—Mr. H. S. Kempton and family are summering at Marblehead.

—Dr. Whiston and family are among vacationists at Marblehead.

—Mrs. H. S. and Miss Hattie L. Calley are summering at Newport.

—Mr. John T. Prince is among vacationists at Point Allerton, Hull.

—Mr. John Byers and sister are at Gosham, N. H., for their vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Kingsbury have returned from Breezy Point, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Rumery and child have returned from North Conway.

—Mr. Fred Thompson of Nebraska, Nebraska, is visiting friends here this week.

—Mrs. C. D. Cabot and family are at home again from their Vermont outing.

—G. Cogswell will open a provision store in Leavitt's block, Saturday, August 30.

—Officer Soule is doing duty during the absence of Officer N. F. Bosworth.

—Mrs. Nellie Simpson has returned from a two weeks' sojourn at Block Island, Me.

—Mr. J. B. Phipps, Parsons street, who has been quite ill, is reported convalescing.

—Mr. John T. Pulsifer has returned from a vacation trip to Auburn and Poland, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lunt returned this week from Mooslaucque, Breezy Point, N. H.

—Officer J. J. Davis has recovered from a severe attack of illness and is on duty again.

—Harry Williams and Hammond Stowe are spending their vacation at Lake Sebago, Me.

—Mr. J. G. Thompson and wife are spending a few weeks' vacation at Ogunquit, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. Abbott Bassett, Parsons street, returned from the seashore last Saturday.

—Mr. Thomas Emerson and Miss Emerson returned from Sandwich, N. H., a few days since.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Diamond have returned from a pleasant vacation passed at Nantasket.

—Mr. S. P. Lewis is home from North Falmouth, where he has a delightful summer cottage.

—Mr. R. C. Bridgman has two novel pets, a pair of young guinea pigs who are said to be good scratchers.

—Mr. G. H. Shapley of Nevada street lost his valuable Newfoundland dog, by death.

—Mr. J. E. Richards and Mr. W. F. Kimball are spending the week at the Atlantic House, Nantasket.

—Mr. W. F. Kimball is among Newtonville vacationists who have returned from Breezy Point, N. H.

—Mr. Richard Elkins entertained Mr. E. D. Bigelow of Kansas City at the club-house Tuesday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. Bradshaw are, enjoying two weeks' rest at North Andover, Me., near the Rangeley Lakes.

—Mr. W. H. Mendell is making quite an extended business trip, but is expected from Atlanta, Ga., this week.

—Mrs. M. C. Dwyer and family have returned from Kennebunkport, Me., where they found farm life very pleasant.

—Mr. C. E. Roberts and family, who have been spending the week at North Falmouth, returned home this week.

—Mr. Henry Ross, superintendent of the Newton Cemetery, has been quite ill with malarial fever, but is now improving.

—Mr. F. W. Amedon and Mr. Geo. H. Pigott were among the visitors at the Summit House, Mt. Washington, this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Atwood have returned from Union, N. H., where they have been enjoying their summer outing.

—Postmaster Turner has enjoyed a deserved rest among the green hills of Vermont. He returned from Laconia Saturday evening.

—Rev. C. Ellwood Nash will occupy the pulpit in the Universalist church, Sunday. In the evening at 7.30 he will conduct a conference meeting.

—Rev. and Mrs. R. A. White had a delightful stay at the Washington House, Princeton, Mass., and will finish their vacation at Plymouth.

—Miss Annie Elliott has returned from Provincetown, Mass., and Mrs. G. F. Elliott and children are at home again from their pleasant visit at Wood's Hill.

—The Superintendents of Cemeteries from all over the country are in session in Boston this week and will come out to visit the Newton Cemetery to-day.

—Capt. C. E. Davis of police headquarters, accompanied by his daughter, started for Laconia, N. H., Wednesday, where they will enjoy a two weeks' vacation.

—The Clavin schoolhouse is completed and the building is certainly an ornament to the city, provided with excellent accommodations and first-class sanitary features.

—The St. Bernards captured that purse of \$50 for the winning club in a contest with the Elliott nine of South Natick at a picnic at Sawin's Grove, last Saturday afternoon.

—The following is the list of letters remaining in the post office, Aug. 10—Miss Hattie B. Fayer, Mrs. Mary E. Leavitt, Mrs. Thomas Metcalf, Miss Alice Pierce, Richard A. Cram.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hatch and Mr. and Mrs. Otis S. Northrop start tomorrow for Nantasket and will be among the society people at Sea Cliff Inn, one of the fashionable summer hotels.

—Mr. Neff, who formerly owned the house in Hingham recently presented to Capt. Kelly of the Boston Brotherhood team, is now boarding at Mrs. Mary F. Farnsworth's house on Walnut street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clark Royce of Charleston, Vt., spent the Sabbath with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Kilburn, Bowers street.

—Mr. Royce is senior vice commander of Erastus Buck Post 78, G. A. R., of Island Pond, Vt.

—Mr. W. B. Bosson has gone to Meredith Village, N. H., where he joins his family who are spending their summer vacation there. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Langford of Watertown with their son have also joined the party.

—It will be a disappointment to friends who were away and so could not hear Rev. C. Ellwood Nash that he will return to Akron, Ohio, so soon, as it was announced that he would supply the Universalist pulpit last Sunday in August.

—The Newtons went to Concord last Saturday afternoon and were defeated by the nine representing that town by a score of 7 to 5. Bent had poor command of the ball and gave way to Hunting. The Concord got in their batting work, principally in one inning. Both nines played a strong fielding game.

—Leon Redpath, in company with his camp, Asquam, has climbed Mts. Washington, Adams, Madison, Jefferson, Clay, Monroe, Franklin and Clinton, and visited Tuckerman's Ravine this season. The remainder of his vacation will be spent at headquarters on Lake Asquam, N. H., enjoying camp and water sports.

—Mr. W. F. Lunt of Newtonville was on the wrecked train at Quincy, and said the wrecked man, concerning his rate of speed between Brockton and the scene of the disaster: "The train was making about 40 miles an hour. We left Brockton at about 12:45 o'clock, being nearly 10 minutes late at that time because that point and Quincy station, arriving there shortly before 1 o'clock."

—The semi-annual statement of the Newton Co-operative bank is very encouraging. A dividend of 6 per cent. has been declared and there is a fair surplus on hand. The bank has completed its second year of existence and at the close of its fourth series has issued 3700 shares, and has 500 depositors. It has loaned on real estate, almost entirely in Newton, \$20,000 and its receipts monthly are about \$4000. The fifth series will be opened Tuesday, Sept. 2.

—The Newton Club is considering the feasibility of building an addition to its present club-house, extending from the rear of the building to a point near the line of the Boston & Albany railroad. Plans have been drawn providing for additional rooms and necessary accommodations. Whether the extension project will meet with favor in preference to the much discussed plan of putting up a handsome new building in some desirable location, is an open question. Both schemes have advocates and remonstrators.

—On Thursday, last week, Councilman Collins entertained the officers of Charles Ward Post 62 at the Hotel Revolds, Boston, where an excellent 40-course dinner was served. Among the special guests with Commander Whitney were Gen. Fairchild, ex-governor of Wisconsin, an veteran who lost an arm at Gettysburg and Senior Vice-Commander-in-Chief Weissert of Milwaukee. Councilman Collins welcomed his guests in an appropriate speech and remarks were made by Gen. Fairchild, Senior Vice Weissert and the officers of Charles Ward Post. On Saturday, by invitation, Councilman Collins was the guest of Commander S. S. Whitney and witnessed with the G. A. R. delegates on the steamer New York the evolutions by the United States fleet in Boston Harbor.

—The mail arrangements went into effect on Monday last. Mails arrive at the post office from all points, via Newton Circuit P. O., at 7.25 and 9.05 a. m., 12.37, 4.47 and 6.30 p. m.; from Fitchburg and the North, 7.30 p. m. Mails close for Boston and the East and stations on Newton Circuit P. O., viz. Newton, West Newton, Auburndale, North Falmouth, Newton Highlands, Newton Centre, Newton Upper Falls, Chestnut Hill and Brookline at 7.15 a. m.; New York, South and West and Western Massachusetts, Connecticut and Foreign by the New York express mail pouch taken from crane, 8.30 a. m.; Boston and the East, 10 a. m.; all points and stations on N. C. R. P. O., 12.10 p. m.; Boston and the East, 2 p. m.; all points and stations on N. C. R. P. O., 4.30, 6.20 and 7.45 p. m.; the 7.15 a. m. and 6.20 p. m. take registered mail. The Sunday mail arrives at 9 a. m.; office opens from 9 to 10 a. m.; office closes at 6 p. m., except on Sunday, when it closes at 5 p. m. By the above changes it will be seen that stations on N. C. R. P. O. get two additional direct mails every week, and the first morning mail arrives 35 minutes later than formerly. The patrons of the office get an extra mail at 6.30 p. m. Postmaster General Wamamaker evidently wants the best possible service that can be obtained for the public and in this he is ably supported by First District Superintendent of the railway mail service, E. J. Ryan, who with his long experience will see that every thing is done to increase the efficiency of the service. It only remains for the postmasters to do their duty to make our postal service what it should be—the best.

WEST NEWTON.

—Everett Palmer passed Sunday at Newport.

—Officer John Conroy is away on his vacation.

—Mr. T. A. Estabrooks and family have returned home.

—Chief Henry L. Bixby is spending his vacation in Detroit.

—Mr. H. C. Sheldon is passing a few days at Brunswick, Me.

—Mrs. and Miss Seccomb are at Fisher's Island, New London, Ct.

—Mrs. C. F. Eddy and family have returned from Middleboro.

—Mrs. J. T. Allen and family have returned from the seashore.

—Miss Lucy Lindsay is among vacationists at Mt. Desert, Me.

—The Misses Dix, Fuller street, have returned from their vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. Damon, Putnam street, have returned from Nantasket.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Barker have returned from Great Head, Winthrop.

—Miss Nellie Forbes is among the vacationists at North Conway.

—Miss Elizabeth A. Thorndike is at the Highland Lake House, Bridgton, Me.

—Mrs. M. J. Duane and family are expected home from the seashore to-day.

—Misses Jennie and Ethel Symonds are at the Florence House, North Scituate.

—Mrs. Mary Ames of Portland, Me., is the guest of Mrs. Cotting, Cherry street.

—Miss G. L. Lemon will resume lessons in piano and voice Monday, Sept. 1.

—John A. Fairbanks of Elgin, Ill., is here visiting his sister, Mrs. T. E. Stutson.

—Mr. E. C. Burroughs is among the summer absentees who returned home this week.

—Mr. P. E. Baker and family have returned from a trip through the state of Maine.

—Frank Richardson of Illinois is visiting his brother Fred, one of S. F. Cate's popular drivers.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lindsay, Otis street, are spending their vacation at Mt. Desert.

—Mr. John Atkinson and Miss Atkinson are guests at the Florence House, North Scituate.

—A report of Dr. Hubbard's sermon to the veterans will be found elsewhere in this paper.

—Inspector Henthorn is on duty at police headquarters during the absence of Capt. C. E. Davis.

—Harry Glazier and family are spending their vacation with relatives in Sudbury and Marlboro.

—City Auditor Otis is spending the remainder of his vacation with his family at South Bristol, Me.

—How about that police stable? The lot selected is now elaborately decorated with a profusion of weeds.

—Mrs. Dr. Curtis has returned from her European travels, having enjoyed a delightful trip on the continent.

—Miss Mary Bond has returned from Tyson and Miss Ellen Bond has left that place for Woodstock, Vt.

—Mr. A. S. Glover is travelling through western cities in the interests of the Hershey Manufacturing Company.

—Mr. G. B. Freeland and family have returned from Fairfield where they have been spending their vacation.

—Matthew Arncliffe, formerly employed by S. F. Cate, has accepted a position as coachman for Mr. W. H. B. Dowse.

—See advertisement of swimming pond, an attractive spot for lovers of bathing, popularly patronized by both sexes.

—Messrs. E. W. Wood, E. J. Wood and H. C. Wood have been in attendance at the florists' convention in Boston this week.

—"America," is to preach in the Baptist church next Sabbath morning, Aug. 24th.

—The chief of the Providence fire-department, Mr. William Prescott, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Langley, Margin street.

—Mr. A. B. Potter has rented a summer cottage at Cottage City which he is now occupying with his family and Mr. Charles A. Potter and family.

—Miss Jennison, bookkeeper at F. M. Dutch's market, has returned from Sheffield, Vt., where she has been enjoying a very pleasant vacation.

—Henry McBride, the popular clerk at Tuttle's shoe store and a member of J. W. Edmunds Camp, S. of V., has returned from his vacation.

—A valuable dog owned by Baggage Master Colligan was struck by the 6 o'clock express train on the Chestnut street crossing, last evening.

—Rev. Mr. Leonard is putting up a new double house on Eddy street that will be ready for occupancy about Oct. 1. Higgins & Nickerson are the builders.

—Lieutenant William G. Rackliffe and wife of Industry, Maine, were visiting their friends, Mrs. Price and Mrs. Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Walker, last week.

—Patrolman Harlow went on duty Sunday evening, having returned from Cotuit with his bride, where the happy couple have been enjoying their honeymoon.

—Councilman F. M. Dutch will undoubtedly be returned as one member of the lower branch from this ward. He may have a new associate, as it is stated that Councilman Luke will not consent to run again.

—The remains of Mrs. B. F. Parker and her son, victims of the Quincy railroad disaster, were removed to the home of the bereaved husband in Wellesley Hills by Undertaker Atwood. The funeral occurred this afternoon.

—Mr. J. H. Nickerson and family accompanied by Prof. Elwell of Amherst and his family have returned from Provincetown, where they have been spending several weeks enjoying Madam Nickerson during her last illness.

—Mrs. O. B. Goodwin, with her two sons, is visiting her brother, Mr. George P. Staples, at his home in West Newton. The older son will enter Phillips Academy at Exeter in September. Mrs. Goodwin is a daughter-in-law of the Rev. Mr. Goodwin.

—Last Saturday, a coal dump was in from the tide track through C. F. Eddy's coalshed, so that it was forced over the block at the end of trestled track and hurled into the yard below. A brakeman had a narrow escape, as the coal was hurled to the ground, a distance of 20 feet, but fortunately escaping serious injury.

—The Bents of Cohasset lost a valuable horse Monday. The animal was attached to the big shoe wagon that serves to transport goods to and from Cohasset and Boston, and the breaking of the breeching proved disastrous, the animal being thrown and dragged by the other horses, receiving such injuries that it was necessary to put an end to its suffering.

—It is expected that Rev. L. J. O'Toole, pastor of St. Bernard's church, will teach home to-morrow. His trip abroad has greatly benefited his health. After his services Sunday, if the reverend gentleman arrives there will be an informal hand shaking and on Monday, probably, he will be more public, welcomed by his parishioners and numerous friends.

—Officer Shannon arrested last evening Bridget and Joseph Trainer for drunkenness. While he was taking Joseph, Bridget departed and secreted herself back of a fence on Cherry street, where she was found later by Sgt. Huestis. The couple gave the officers no end of trouble and Bridget amused herself by hurling her boots at the sergeant. The language of the pair was not only abusive but decidedly profane.

—Miss Agnes Chase was a passenger on the ill-fated liner, the Essex, which was wrecked on the Quiney station Tuesday. She escaped injury, but the impressions of the terrible scene and the shock brought on an attack of illness which has not yet been without bad effects. The scene just after the accident was one to make the stoutest heart quail in the contemplation of so much of death and human suffering.

—The board of health held an outdoor meeting last Saturday and occupied the day in the thorough examination of the Charles river, or rather that part of the stream bordering on Newton's territory. Buildings on the banks were inspected with especial regard to their sanitary condition and careful note made of all cesspools and privies emptying into the stream. The object of the examination is a desire on the part of the board to stop all sources of contamination and thus take an important step in lessening the danger from malaria and typhoid fever. The "yellow" block estate at Newton Lower Falls was inspected and ordered put in proper condition in conformity to the rules of the board.

—A quiet wedding ceremony occurred Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. Matthew B. Hussey, Elm street, when his daughter, Miss Mabel R. Hussey, was married to Mr. Wilbur G. Thomas, the local correspondent of the Boston Globe. The officiating clergyman was Rev. Henry S. Jenks of Canton, and the ceremony was witnessed by the relatives and intimate friends. An informal reception was held, and the young couple received the usual congratulations. They were the recipients of many pretty and valuable wedding gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas will enjoy a short wedding tour and upon their return will reside with the bride's parents on Elm street. The bride was attired in a cream white crepe de chine, cut en-train with garniture of duchess lace. She wore the usual long tulle veil and carried a beautiful bunch of bridal roses. The parlor where the wedding took place was prettily decorated with a profusion of ferns and cut flowers. The reception of the "golden circle" which provides a ring for the fair bride and groom alike was carried out, forming a novel and what is now regarded as a fashionable feature of the ceremony.

—A great deal of furniture in city houses nowadays is made in combination; two or three different articles being united in one piece of furniture. The best place to see Combination Furniture is at Paine's Furniture Warerooms, 43 Canal street, Boston.

—There are 18,000 kinds of postage stamps.

—Charity begins at home, but reform is different.

—The best man to disperse a crowd is a pickpocket.

AUBURNDALE.

—Mr. George Carpenter is away for a short time.

—Mr. L. R. Pulsifer has taken his canoe to the sea shore.

—Capt. B. C. Baker is at Brewster with his family for a week.

—Mrs. Kimball, Melrose street, is at Conway, N. H., for a few weeks.

—Mr. Arthur H. Richards has spent the last week fishing off Seaboard.

—Mrs. M. H. Cole and Mr. Waldo Cole have returned from Falmouth.

—Mrs. C. B. Kendall and family recently spent a week in Framingham.

—Mr. N. F. Nye and family have returned from their outing in Maine.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. French of Anderson's have gone to Bar Harbor.

—Miss Julia Cole has enjoyed a delightful trip to Montreal and Quebec.

—Mr. Albert Breed of Weston is rusticating among New Hampshire hills.

—Mrs. M. L. Henry and family, returned from their vacation trip Wednesday.

—Mr. A. R. Eaton and family of Auburn street have moved to Allston this week.

—Mr. Geo. Young expects to take a position in Mr. Keyes' pharmacy next week.

—Mr. Francis Blake, family and servants are at the Glen House, White Mountains.

—Mrs. Edward Anderson of Riverside has gone to Berlin, Mass., for a few days' visit.

—Mrs. Thomas Bruce of Wallingford, Vt., visited her aunt, Mrs. Jennings, last week.

—Mrs. Jennings and Miss Alice Jennings are again in their house on Hancock street.

—Mr. Vincent A. Pluta, Jr., and his mother are at the Weirs, N. H., for a short vacation.

—Mr. Chas. Tinkham has sold a handsome pair of bays to a Boston gentleman this week.

—One of our fortunate young men has drawn \$200 as his part of a Louisiana prize this week.

—Miss Della Fowle of Cambridge is visiting at Mr. Benjamin Hammond's, Riverside.

—Mr. J. W. Davis will return in September and organize a new choir in the Methodist church.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Childs attended the funeral of a relative of Mrs. Childs in Cambridge, Thursday.

—Mr. Frank Pluta has been entertaining his brother-in-law of New York, musician of the 11th U. S. Infantry.

—Mr. Albert R. Richards of Woodland avenue is spending a couple of weeks at Atlantic Highlands, New Jersey.

—Mr. Blainy and a party of twelve from Waban enjoyed a canoe trip up the river Tuesday evening, from Robertson's.

—Miss D. M. Plummer, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pickard, has returned to her home in Chicago, Ill.

—Miss Mary Rose and Dr. Wm. Richardson of Marlborough are the guests this week of Wm. H. Young, Woodland avenue.

—Mrs. Clara P. Spaulding of Crystal street, Newton Centre, has moved into one of the vacant houses on Ash street, this week.

—Conductor Gardiner will move from his present residence, Central street, and occupy Mr. Brigham's cottage on Melrose street.

—During Miss Plummer's absence of two Sundays, Mrs. Chas. Edward Parker will play the organ at the Congregational church.

—Messrs. Thomas R. Townsend and Ezra V. Barkers spent last Friday fishing on the Sudbury river and had splendid success.

—Mr. Jacob Pratt, Jr., of Woodland avenue, caught six large pickers in an hour's fishing on the Charles, one morning this week.

—Mr. J. M. Briggs' men of Newton are painting the Hose 5 house this week. New gutters are to be put on as soon as the carpenters get to it.

—Mr. A. E. Partelow starts next week for New York, where he will be the guest of Mr. W. H. Vandil, thence proceeding to Chicago on a business trip.

—Conductor Dewing and Conductor Hutchinson, both of the B. & A. R. R., have leased houses of Mr. Chas. Miner on Oakland avenue, Pigeon Hill.

—Mr. E. A. Walker was called to attend the funeral services of his brother, Mr. Chas. Walker in Maine, Tuesday, who died Sunday night after a painful illness.

—Mr. W. L. Chapman who has been clerking for Mr. E. W. Keyes gets through this week and contemplates a cruise on pilot boat No. 4 as a guest of Capt. Abbott.

—There is a tract of eight acres near Tanglewood, owned by the city, from which materials are being taken for the excellent road now constructing on Auburn street between Grove and Maple.

—Mr. C. A. Brown was canoeing for a few days on Cohasset Lake, instead of canvassing in that vicinity as the types got a last week, much to the amusement of Mr. Brown and his friends.

—H. V. Partelow & Co. have just fitted out the large steam yacht Miner with boats, etc., preparatory to her starting on a trip to Chicago with a party of gentlemen, by way of the St. Lawrence river.

—Mr. C. G. Tinkham has added to his equipment a handsome natural wood, two-seated Derby road wagon, which will please the seminary girls who enjoy a drive.

—Mr. A. B. Partelow is the guest of Mr. S. Curtis at the Wild Goose Club, Moosehead Lake. He will make an extended trip before his return, visiting the lakes and rivers of Canada, and will be away three or four weeks.

—Mr. D. L. Pease and Mr. Arthur Phipps removed with their families to Lynn, Mass. Mr. Johnson was the expressman. Too much cannot be said in praise of the skill and care and obliging manners of this popular express firm.

—George H. Young and Miss Gertrude Young have returned from Kennebunkport, Maine, where they have been spending a very pleasant two weeks in company with a party of Newton friends, including Miss Frances Hildreth of this ward.

—The arrivals at the Woodland Park Hotel the past week are as follows: H. Goddard and wife, Worcester, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Olmstead, I. A. Atwood, Chester Gould, Jr., Frank Batcheller, Robert Batcheller, and Mrs. C. L. Holbrook, Boston; E. C. Dinzey, New York.

—The highway department are now at work on the part of Auburn street between Rowe and Greenough streets, which is to be macadamized. When all the work is finished, we shall have a fine hard road from the bridge to Greenough street, where it was unfit to draw a loaded team in the early spring.

—Miss Eva Ballard of Asheville, N. C., who was among the wounded at the recent railway accident at Quincy, died at the hospital where she was taken, Wednesday. She was a friend of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sheppard and had made them a visit but a few weeks since.

—A special meeting of the Newton Boat Club will be held at their boathouse on Thursday evening, Aug. 26, to elect a secretary for the balance of the club year. Mr. Horatio Page, the present efficient secretary, goes to New York.



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A PRISONER OF WAR.

"There she comes now," cried Kitty Coram, standing on tiptoe to peep over the great gate in front of the old brick house.

And Georgie, her elder sister, came flying up the snowy pass, with cheeks like roses, brown eyes that sparkled merrily, and a huge, flat parcel under her arm.

"Do I look like the town carrier?" she demanded, jubilantly. "Oh, I have run so fast from the train, to get into the wood-path before the grand sleigh from Ormistan Hall overtook me. I can't bear Mrs. Ormistan to put up her eye-glasses at me and draw out, 'How do you do, ma deah? How's your deah aunt?'"

"Well, Georgie, what luck?"

"Oh, splendid," the new arrival breathlessly responded. "Seven yards of three-inch deep embroidery on white merino. And we're to get a dollar a yard, if it suits."

"Seven dollars!" repeated Kitty. "A deal of money, isn't it? But how we shall have to work for it!"

"It's a world of work," responded the elder girl, clapping her cold hands to restore the circulation, and making haste to unfasten the collar of her black cloth coat. "How nice the fire looks. Just like a picture. What a blessing it is that our wood doesn't cost us anything!"

"Oh, by the way," said Kitty, "old Giles wanted to chop down the big, black oak tree next."

"What! The big one on the edge of the swamp? To cut it down! Is he a Goth, or a Vandal?"

"Just what I said. It's the only tree in the neighborhood that's growing all over it. I wouldn't lose that beautiful old tree for a hundred dollars!"

"Neither would I," said Georgie, drily. "Especially as I don't know of anybody who would offer us a hundred dollars for it."

Just at that moment, by one of those strange coincidences which are more common in this world than people have any idea of, old Jane, the rheumatic servant, came hobbling to the door.

"Does Aunt Anne want us, Jane?" cried Georgie.

"Faint your aunt, miss," said Jane. "It's Mr. Miles, the footman, from Ormistan Hall."

Georgie turned, with glittering eyes, to her sister.

"I told you so," she whispered. "We're going to be invited, after all, to the party."

"And he says," droned on Jane, "his missus wants to know what you'll take for all the dark-green shiny leaves—mistletoe, you calls 'em, doesn't you?"—on the big swamp oak. They want it for decorations."

"Tell Mr. Miles, from Ormistan Hall," said Georgie, "to give my compliments—Miss Coram's—to his mistress, and say that the mistletoe is not for sale."

Old Jane withdrew, and Georgie and Kitty stood looking at each other.

"Oh, Georgie," said the younger, "did you want so much to go? But I told you how it would be. I never had the least idea of inviting us. We don't belong to the enchanted circle."

"Yet they brought Colonel Hay here in wild strawberry time to spend the day down by the Moss Rocks," said Georgie, in a slightly tremulous voice. And they always bring picnic parties here to spend the day over the old house and row on our lake."

"We are a convenience," said Kitty. "We are not on Miss Ormistan's regular visiting list."

"But I did think that Colonel Hay would have called," said Georgie, "that day," softly murmured Georgie.

"And so he would, you may be very sure," said Kitty, "if Dorinda Ormistan would have let him. She's a deal too politic, Georgie dear, to let him contrast her thirty-year old complexion and pale blue eyes with your roses and sparkles."

"Well, it doesn't matter much now," said Georgie, mournfully. "I dare say he has forgotten us—there's no earthly reason why he shouldn't. Now I must go up to Aunt Anne's, and tell her all my adventures in New York."

For old Miss Coram was up in her room, neatly embroidered handkerchiefs for an audience from the South. A lady born and bred, yet she saw no degradation in these bread-eating tasks.

"It's hard on the girls," said she. "For their sakes, I could wish that the Corams had retained somewhat of their old prosperity. But for an old woman like me, it doesn't matter."

Meanwhile, at Ormistan Hall, Miss Dorinda was superintending the decorations of the great saloon parlor, which was to be made a dancing-room, or, on the occasion of the impending ball.

"Spruce boughs and holly leaves are all very well in their way," said she, "but how I do wish I'd thought when I was in New York this morning to get some of that lovely, shadowy mistletoe the vendors were selling on Fourteenth street!"

"It comes horribly dear!" said Mrs. Ormistan, with the offending forget-me-not held up to her eye.

"But the effect is so lovely!"

"Mistletoe!" repeated Colonel Hay, who was half-way up a stepladder, draping a United States flag over the doorway. "Why, I saw a whole tree full of it as I drove from the station. I could carry it off in my arms."

"Could you?" Miss Ormistan's pale eyes glistened. "But we couldn't think of troubling you."

"It wouldn't be the least trouble in the world," said the gallant cavalier. "I'm a regular cat for climbing."

"Yes, but—Mrs. Ormistan began, when she was checked by a glance from her daughter, who afterward explained her policy.

"Let him get it, mamma," said fair Dorinda, "it will keep him from flirting with the fairies, and give him something to do. And he is so sure to comprehend how disorganizing the Corams are. For all he knows, the tree is in our woods; and the mistletoe will produce such an effect against the pink-gay walls!"

So Colonel Hay went foraging, with blithe step and careless whistle, little knowing what he did.

"I wonder," he mused to himself, as he strode along, "whereabouts those pretty Miss Corams live? It was somewhere in this direction that Miss Dorinda took me that summer day. I should like to call on them while I'm down at the hall."

That tallest Miss Coram had a face like the Sistine Madonna. I've always secretly wished to see it again. I do hope they'll be at Dorinda's party. Hallo! here's my old mistletoe tree, and the ladder lying under it, too. Well, I should do discredit to my schoolboy training if I couldn't climb any tree going under such conditions as this!"

Like a squirrel he sprang up the ladder and made his way into the upper boughs

of the tree, clipping bunch after bunch of the lovely green parasite from the hoary-gray trunk and flinging them down on the frozen surface of the snow below.

It was a most fascinating business, for even as he climbed, some still more tempting clusters gleamed higher up.

The sun, red and round as an orange, poised itself for a second on the serrated edge of the woods, and then dipped down, leaving a warm glow where, but now, the level light had streamed—and, almost in an instant, as it were, the white landscape seemed steeped in a sober purple.

"It's growing dark," said Colonel Hay to himself. "I believe I'd better come down."

At the same moment a clear, fresh young voice—mezzo-soprano of the most approved type—called scornfully out:—

"I've caught you, have I? A thief! I wonder Miss Ormistan could countenance such a contemptible action as this! Why, do you know I could put you in jail for this? Stealing my mistletoe in broad daylight! But I won't have you arrested. I'll simply teach you a lesson. You may stay up here as long as you consider it, at your leisure, until I get ready to let you come down."

And, balancing the ladder lightly on her strong, young shoulder, Georgie Coram walked off with the ease and composure of a nineteenth century Amazon, leaving the gallant colonel transfixed with dismay.

"It's the Madonna!" he said to himself. "I'd know that face anywhere—and the sweet, full voice! What does she mean? I can't be trespassing, or Miss Ormistan would have warned me. Is it a joke? or does she really mean to put me up here to freeze to death? It's too far to jump, and I don't dare to risk a slide down the trunk. Well, there's no help for it—I must just wait here until assistance arrives on the scene. A pretty predicament! Whew! how the west wind shrieks across the frozen lake! Going to teach me a lesson, is she? Well, I am learning it!"

"Oh, Georgie, how could you?" cried the more pacific Kitty, when she heard her sister's tale of triumph. "Why, the poor man will freeze!"

"He needed heroic treatment," said Georgie, her brown eyes shining merrily. "The idea of his daring to steal our beloved mistletoe!"

"But I dare say he only obeyed Miss Ormistan's orders!" pleaded Kitty.

"Then he must take the consequences," retorted Georgie. But it is growing awfully awfully cold since you've been up here with me, Kitty. I'll take the ladder back and let him come down. See how bright the moon is shining. It will be a regular adventure!"

"Poor Miles!" said Kitty, laughing. "He'll have the worst kind of a rheumatism to-morrow."

"I didn't think of that," said penitent Georgie.

And, standing under the tree, she called out in her sweet soprano voice:—

"Miles! Miles! here's the ladder! You may come down now. I trust that this little incident may make an impression on you in the future."

Slowly the culprit descended.

"And, Miles," added Georgie, as his foot touched the top round of the ladder, "my sister and I have brought you a pair of hot coffee to drink, so that you won't take cold. I wish you no harm, as I presume you only obeyed your mistress's orders, but it's time you learned to discriminate between our grounds and those of Ormistan Hall."

"Thanks, awfully!" said a deep voice, as the colonel drank long and deep of the fragrant liquid; "only I haven't any mistress, and I don't obey any one's orders, and I hadn't any idea I was beyond the limits of the Ormistan property. All the same, I'm sure I beg pardon if I've been trespassing."

"It's—Colonel—Hay!" shrieked Georgie.

"Yes, that's my name," said the gallant officer.

Georgie would have fled promptly from the scene, but more self-possessed Kitty detained her by main force.

"My sister is under a misapprehension," explained she. "She supposed you were Miss Ormistan's footman; and the tree is really ours, and we have decided to let Miss Ormistan gather the mistletoe."

"And oh, I'm so sorry!" faltered Georgie. "What must you think of me?"

"That you've done exactly right," said Colonel Hay, melting visibly under the troubled light of the lovely hazel eyes. "Of course I was the trespasser, and I deserved all I got—and—and—"

"But you are shivering," cried Georgie. "Oh, what have I done?"

"Perhaps," suggested the artful Colonel, "if you would allow me to walk home with you, and get a little warmer, and drink some coffee and enjoy myself thoroughly. And when he returned to Ormistan Hall he carried all the clusters of mistletoe with him, as a present to Miss Dorinda."

"But you'll never tell her how dreadfully I behaved!" pleaded Georgie.

"Never!" asserted the colonel.

"You promise?" urged Georgie.

"I promise," reiterated the colonel.

Miss Dorinda thought his prolonged absence very strange. She thought it still stranger when the colonel strolled over to the Corams the next day, and, under the pretext of the next day, and the next, and still the next day.

"I do believe—he's falling in love with that insignificant little country girl!" said she, with a black cloud on her forehead.

As for Georgie, she could scarcely understand what it meant.

"After my leaving him to perish with cold that night," said she, with carmine cheeks and sparkling eyes, "I should think he'd hate me!"

"I shouldn't," said smiling Kitty.

Cross People.

"I believe," exclaimed a bright woman one day, "that I would rather have a really wicked person in the house, if he would be good-natured, than to live with the best one who is cross."

This was extreme, but any one who has ever endured the society of an irritable companion for many days will feel a sympathy with even this strong statement. Such a companion is a species of torture."

It sometimes seems as though almost every duty were more forcibly impressed upon the young than the duty of amiability. In many quarters this virtue is absolutely at a disadvantage. The cross ones are likely to get a reputation for greater ability than the pleasant ones. "Fools," we are told, "are always amiable."

We plead for a reform, and so plead everybody who happens to be in a certain house in an inland town, where a

handsome and fashionable young woman was stopping with an aunt who had every claim upon her tenderest consideration.

"Are you going out to the cliff? the young woman would demand of her aunt.

"I don't know yet," the aunt would respond, wearily.

"Oh dear, I wish you could ever make up your mind!" the niece would fret.

"But I must wait and see how I feel after my dinner," the aunt would protest. "If it wasn't that it would be something else," the niece would exclaim, petulantly. "You're always waiting, always undecided. I get so sick of it!"

The aunt bore her young charge's (or superintending vagabond's) impudence of the latter were unendurable to the outside listeners, before whom she took no pains to control herself. Yet this young girl was a member of a church. She would not have lifted her hand against her aunt, yet she gave her daily worse insults than a physical blow.

"The blow a glove gives is but weak. Does the mark yet discolor my cheek? But when the heart suffers a blow Will the pain pass so soon, do you know?"

It is to the women that poets are always giving praise for their amiability. It was a woman to whom belonged those "Sweet lips whereon perpetually did reign The summer calm of golden charity."

But it is doubtful whether women are really so equable as men. Xantippe and poor Rip's wife are types of a very large class.

It is reasonable to expect that women should be less amiable than men. Emerson says, "All healthy things are sweet tempered." It is only within a few years that women have begun to take proper care of their health.

Even now they are not expert in the art, and more than half our women are semi-invalids. A woman's mode of dress, her diet, her indoor and monotonous life, have all been against her. Women are more conscientious than men. They ought to have more principle about keeping a pleasant face; but when the whole nervous system is ajar from insufficient nourishment and close air, an angel could not always keep her temper.

It was only she who "felt so pretty and so pleased all day" who could not take her temper to the "other side." She is baffled and thwarted all day, crossness becomes a luxury which most women are too prone to indulge in.

But oh! how it spoils and degrades family life!

"See a word, how it severs!"

In the tongue, as the Preacher saith!

We may not all of us be able to cultivate the highest virtues—constancy, generosity, magnanimity—but we can all keep a civil tongue for those around us, and put our passions to sleep.

It is a liability has been pool-poled at too long. It is the source of more comfort and pleasure in any home in which it is practised than many a more vaunted virtue.

"The music that can deepest reach, Is not the voice, but the word."

By all means let us have more of it in our homes.—Harper's Bazar.

Methods of Swimming.

I have devoted my life to the problem of swimming, and I am egotistical enough to think that I can give some points as to the best methods of swimming. One of the most important strokes, either in fancy swimming or racing, is the American over-hand-side stroke, which I invented. It is really the fastest stroke that can be used. It is quite different from the English over-hand stroke, and in the difference lies the secret of the additional speed that is obtained. English swimmers bury themselves deeply in the water, and sink from one to two yards under the surface in bringing the hand over, which retards their progress through the water.

To use my stroke, lie in the water on the right side at an angle of about 30 degs. The water covers the right eye, while the left eye, the nose, and the mouth are out of the water. The body is propelled through the water by the legs and feet, and in this stroke the ankles are strongly brought into use.

The force is obtained from the instep of the right foot and the sole of the left. The legs are brought up and placed in position on the letter V, and when the kick is made they are brought quickly together, the right foot being twisted to bring the instep against the water. After the kick is made, and while the legs are being brought up again, the right hand, which is extended beyond the head like a cutwater, is brought down to the tip. The water is then going up again, the left hand is carried over the head and right shoulder, dipped into the water and used as a paddle. The right arm is used to steady the body, and force is attained by the left arm and the legs. When the left arm is coming down the kick is made. In learning this stroke, first let the arms and legs be straight, and be worked up afterward. From thirty-eight to forty-five strokes a minute is a high rate of speed to be attained.—Gus Sundstrom, in New York Mail and Express.

The Life of Sea-Side Resorts.

Like unto the Dead Cities of Holland, can there be decayed watering-places? Comes here that ebb-tide of fashion which, after time receding, leaves a resort once thronged, high, dry, stranded and deserted? The discovery of the sea-side by the meanest gentleman in Europe—for the Prince Regent created Brighton—may be put down as one of the few creditable things George IV. ever did. I took France years before she fully appreciated what were the advantages of a sea-coast and salt-water bathing as health restoratives. Exigencies of climate made us, long before seek the coast-line so as to breathe a purer, fresher air. More than a century ago Long Branch attracted the Philadelphia, and that was when Philadelphia was the great city of the country. We are too young yet to have any of our sea-side resorts taking on signs of decadence. Some of them may change in character, but that is all. It is the question of transportation which settles the important question as to whether the sea-side resort shall be sought by the million or not. No year has passed since the ocean steamer does not make the coast-line their objective point, and by their enterprise people with little means can take their health-giving baths with the breakers.—Harper's Weekly.

"To say that I am pleased with Mellin's Food is not to speak the entire truth. I am delighted with the way my little patients take it, and with the complete manner in which it fulfills indications as a food for invalids," writes a physician.

"I have no grudge against fat people," said the steamship captain, "but I always give them a wide berth if I can."

Famous Octogenarians.

The recent deaths of Browning and Andrássy remind us how many of the most distinguished men now living have passed the scriptural line of three score and ten. Thus, Von Moltke was born in 1800 and Bismarck in 1815. Kossuth is in his 88th year. Leo XIII. is but some months this side of 80, and his arch-enemy the Italian prime minister Crispi, is not much younger. The Spanish prime minister, Sagasta, is also a veteran.

Marshal MacMahon was born in 1808, and Jules Simon (who was one of the French delegates to the recent labor conference in Berlin) in 1814. Gladstone and Tenyson were both born in 1800. Cardinal Manning in 1808, Cardinal Newman in 1801. John Ruskin is in his 71st year. James Russell Lowell is almost the same age. John Greenleaf Whittier was born in 1807, and George Bancroft, the most distinguished American historian, in 1800. There is scarcely one of these men of whom it is not felt that the place which he must soon leave vacant cannot easily be filled. Especially is this true of Gladstone, Tenyson, Ruskin, Whittier and Lowell. It is, when we think of it, a sad fate that the great men of each in its special field of activity have so busy and so fruitful, should have lived so long.—Yankee Blade.

GRADE CROSSINGS.

NEED OF IMMEDIATE ACTION IF RELIEF IS OBTAINED.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC:

I notice that you are agitating the matter of the abolition of grade crossings in Newton, but think you say hardly enough about the importance of acting at once, if the City is to get any benefit from the very liberal State aid offered by the law which went into effect June 21 last.

This law says that the Superior Court, or the proper justice thereof, on petition of the Mayor and Aldermen of a city, the selectmen of a town, or the directors of any railroad company, for the alteration of any crossing of a public way over a railroad so as to avoid a crossing at grade, shall appoint three commissioners, who, if they decide that the alteration is necessary for the security and convenience of the public shall present the manner in which it is to be made. The railroad company shall then pay 65 per cent. of the total cost of making the change, including compensation of commissioners, and all damages, and the commissioners shall apportion the remaining 35 per cent. between the city or town, and the commonwealth; but not more than 10 per cent shall be apportioned to the city or town the commonwealth its share. The law, however, provides that the amount to be paid for the improvement by the commonwealth in any one year to \$500,000, and the total amount cannot exceed \$5,000,000. Since the Act went into effect less than two months ago, petitions have been filed for 25 grade crossings in other towns, and there is likely to be a large number of applications in the State's bounty before the fund begins to get low, which the city should not by delay, if the Mayor and Aldermen decide that anything is to be done about it.

BRIDGE.

If you cannot be happy in one way, be in another, and this facility of disposition wants but little aid from philosophy, for health and good humor are almost the whole affair. Many run about after happiness like an absent-minded man hunting for his hat while it is in his hand or on his head.

Hope is itself a species of happiness, and perhaps the chief happiness the world affords.—Samuel Johnson.

"I'd like to ask how you killed this chicken," said the homeless young man to his landlady. "Why, the girl cut its head off, of course." "With a hatchet?" "To be sure," you seem unaccountably inquisitive. "No, but I would like to know where you buy your hatchets."—Washington Post.

Old Lady (at Tampa Bay)—"My daughters want to go sailing. Can you swim?" Yacht Skipper—"No, mum." Old Lady—"My goodness! What could you do for anything should happen?" Yacht Skipper—"Please, mum, when the man went down the sailin' can't swim, he's mighty kumfuted not to let anything happen."—Good News.

He Probably Forgot. "There," said the telegraph operator. "I don't know who that man is, but he's got more good, hard brains than anybody I ever saw." "Why, how do you know that?" "Well, I've written him a message for the last nineteen years, and he's the first man that didn't stop and say, 'Now I'd like to have this right off.'"—Boston Times.

"I wonder if McCorkle loves his wife much." "He adores her! Why, he wears a watch that she selects for him?"—New York Sun.

Sensitive. "What's the matter, Bronson? Feel faint?" "No, Why?" "You leaned back and shut your eyes." "Oh, that's nothing. I hate to see a woman standing in a horse-car. That's all."—New York Sun.

Another viewpoint: Samson—Since your marriage no doubt the question has often occurred to you whether marriage is a failure. Thompson—Not exactly; but I am continually asking myself, "Why did I consent to such a failure?"—Each.

Solomon (the money-lender)—Rebecca, little Isaac is going to make a great business man. Rebecca—Why do you think so, my dear? Solomon—I sent him to the woods to get some flowers, and he brought home nothing but golden rods.—Boston Herald.

"I've had a delightful time on my vacation. No regular hours for meals. A large, airy room. No charge for hot and cold water, and cold vegetables, and I brought stocked wine-cellar and no charge for corkage, and above all, no fees for the servants." "Delicious! Where is this ideal spot?" "I stayed at home."—New York Sun.

Say, Chaney, is Tammany hall a Cleveland faction or a Hill faction?" "Neither, old man—it's a putrefaction."—Westboro Tribune.

"And you allowed your girl's father to kick you out of the house? I'd like to know what's done behind his back?"—Philadelphia Times.

Mrs. Bronson—Well, Johnny, how do you like Switzerland? Johnny—Very much, mamma, but I thought from my map it was pink.—Bazar.

Professor—Yes, gentlemen, Columbus owes his glory, at least in part, to the fact that America had not been discovered before.—Filigene Blatter.

Papa (who used a bad word when he tore his trousers)—I forgot myself, then, Samny. It was wrong of me to say such a word. Samny—O, you needn't apologize, papa! I often use it myself.—Life.

"Lend me the paper, John, won't you?" "In a minute, Mollie. I'm just looking over an article, 'Things worth knowing.'" "Oh, bosh! Let me read the deaths; that's a good soul."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

"Don't take that seat, ma'am," said the conductor on the W. & M. railroad yesterday. "The seats are reserved for smokers." "Which, then," mildly suggested the woman, as she slowly waved her jaws, "which, sir, are the seats reserved for the people who chew gum?"—Detroit Free Press.

Suburban Clubs.

Taverner, in the Boston Post, says: "It seems to me that the way in which clubs with houses of their own are multiplying in our suburban towns and cities shows that the example of Boston is having a strong influence upon their social life. It has been wittily said that the moment a man comes to Boston to live he proceeds to organize himself into a club, and the need of clubs is naturally more felt in the suburbs than where the opportunities for social intercourse are more easy and varied. Now that clubs have lost the ill-repute which once attached to them in the minds of many persons as nurseries of dissipation, and have come to be regarded as means of refinement and culture, it is well that our suburban towns and cities should seek to make up for the lack of certain advantages of life in the metropolis by imitating some of its most agreeable features. As a check to the narrowness of view which is apt to prevail in small places, and a stimulus to good fellowship and sociability, the club is a desirable addition to their resources."

Humor the Invalid.

A friend was telling me, not long since, about an experience she had while ill. "I was so ashamed of myself," she said, "but I could not help it. My nurse had gone out, and I took the fancy that I wanted some cream toast. I asked my daughter, a girl of about fifteen, to make it for me. She did so, and when she brought it to me I cried just as hard as I could cry. She had put it on a plate that was particularly stained, and the very sight of it took away my appetite. The child was as distressed as I was, for she really wanted to serve me. I could have boxed my own ears when I got better and thought it better, but it was a very serious matter at the time. However, it was a lesson my girl will never forget, and I am sure the next time she is called upon to serve an invalid, she will bring the best china plate in the house."—Sullie Joy White.

"Assistant—Shall I say anything in this week's paper about the new corn-crib near the stable? Country editor—No, don't! Mention it at length, and add something as follows: 'Our business men are building up a great commercial center, and are not making any fuss about it either. This kind of work is business, not blow.'—Exchange.

Wife from the window—Well, I declare! John, I wouldn't spend time sprinkling the dust in our neighbor's back yard—especially when they are people who talk about us the way they do. Husband—That's all right, my dear, their pet pool was washed this morning—now he's out here rolling in the mud. Trust your husband, my sweet, for thoughtfulness.—Bostonian.

Tommy—Paw, what is the difference between an attorney and a lawyer? Mr. Figg—Oh, not much. You give your property to an attorney, but the lawyer makes you sell it first and give him the money.

There are dull times on the farm when the boy has to turn the grindstone.—Stranton Truth.

Yesterday we saw Mount Lincoln. Today we see Mount Washington, which is much higher, and to-morrow we shall see our hotel bill.—Racket.

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THE SPINNERS.

Hot! spinners in the sun,
Draw the fibre strong and fine,
Back and forth, one by one,
Round the spindle threads entwined;
Spin—spin—spin, spin!
And the long day's work begin.

Let the buzzing wheel go round,
Set the spindle in a steady sound,
Listen to the whirling sound
Mingling with the spinner's song—
Spin—spin—spin, spin!
Cheerful toil is death to sin.

Spin, O child! the spinning thread
Baby sunshine, childhood's gleam,
Bright from some sunny head,
Simple prayers at mother's knee;
Spin—spin—spin, spin!
Gather all this sweetness in.

Rainbow hue the threads shall grow,
Spin, O youth! by thy deft hand,
Brighter shall the colors glow
As they gather—strand on strand.
Spin—spin—spin, spin!
Joy and laughter twined in.

Now, the wool is running gray,
Mixed with still more sombre hues,
And the long, long summer day
Slacks its throat with evening dews;
Spin—spin—spin, spin!
He who works is sure to win.

Slow the weary wheel goes round,
Spin, O child! the silver thread,
Heard the spindle in a steady sound,
Ceased the spinner's noiseless thread;
Spin—spin—spin, spin!
Rest, O spinner! in the sun,
Work no more—the day is done.

—Lucy Leggett.

Gov. Ames Should Resign.

(Springfield Republican.)

Ex-Gov. Ames is predicting ruin and desolation for the Republican party with singular glibness. Returning from Europe he hastens to say that if Blaine's tariff policy is not followed "the Republican party will get smashed;" and again, that unless the present course is abandoned on that question, "it is done for." Moreover, he commends the course of Plumb and the other Republican senators in rebelling against the McKinley bill. "It was understood," he says, referring to the 1888 campaign, "that the revision meant in most cases reduction, so that there should be a lowering of high duties all along the line," and then follows this significant statement: "The protective tariff has done a great service for this country. It has been a grand thing. It has established vast industries which could never have been introduced without that protection, and it has made us a great self-supporting nation. But those industries are in the main well-established, and there is now no longer need of excessively high duties."

This is certainly treasonable to the Home Market Club, McKinley and Chicago platform policy. The best thing the governor can do now under the circumstances is to resign from the club ere he is hidden to get out.

THE HEAT LIGHTNING.

IT IS ONLY A REFLECTION OF CHAIN LIGHTNING FROM BELOW THE HORIZON.

"Look at that heat lightning over in the west. It will be cooler to-night."

The above remark was overheard by an elderly naval officer.

"Pardon me, but you are mistaken," said the naval man; "there is no such thing as heat lightning in contradistinction to chain lightning, which accompanies a storm. By the term 'heat lightning,' so frequently and incorrectly used, people refer to the sheet-like flashes which they see off in the distance, usually near the horizon, and which are so far away that no thunder can be heard. Now, the fact of the matter is," continued this well informed old seaman, in the hearing of a Washington Post reporter, "what they really see is simply a reflection in the clouds or sky of the regular chain lightning attending a local storm miles and miles away. When it is well saturated with moisture, these reflections, which appear as 'sheet lightning,' so called, are visible many miles, and, if you are sufficiently near, you would hear the report, and soon become convinced that there is no such thing as 'heat lightning' unaccompanied by thunder."

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Grasshopper War in Algeria.

Immense swarms of grasshoppers have invaded parts of the country of Algeria and are spoiling lots of things. Two thousand soldiers, aided by 12,000 Arabs, have been employed to fight the pest. The roadways present the appearance of a battlefield, and extraordinary efforts are being made to rid the surrounding country of this insect enemy.

This is not the first time that this plague has devastated Algeria. In 1845 the harvests of almost the entire country were destroyed by grasshoppers. From 1747 to 1749 these insects desolated Algeria, extending their ravages even to parts of Europe.

Millions on millions of the dead bodies of these insects are covering at present the great roadway leading from Mascara to Mostaganim, and filling the spruces and rivers. The task of killing these masses of grasshoppers is not a small one. Imagine a district of 100 miles in circumference which not long ago was covered with wheat, tobacco and fig and olive trees, but now is so densely covered with grasshoppers that not a single green branch or leaf can be seen. For three years a distinguished Parisian naturalist, M. Kunke, has been studying how to exterminate these creatures. The best plan seems to be that of stamping the moving, quivering heaps with the bare feet. Shovels and other sharp instruments are used, but it has been noticed that the elastic layers of grasshoppers tend to rebound after pressure and only the layers on top are crushed. Large fires have also been lighted, but the dense smoke arising from the flames is only partly effective in preventing the descent of these all devouring swarms.

—New York Sun.

Banker Von Kandler's Trial.

Herr Alfred Von Kandler, whose trial for fraud has commenced before a Vienna jury, was the head of an old banking house founded in 1790, which failed in November last with liabilities amounting to upward of 2,500,000 florins. The prisoner, who was arrested a week after this event, is charged with appropriating to his own use deposits of private persons or firms amounting to nearly 2,000,000 florins. It appears that the accused, who was of extravagant habits, began to tamper with the deposits in 1881. Among the persons defrauded is the head waiter at the hotel where Kandler used to dine, and who had given up the whole of his savings, amounting to over 22,000 florins. The accused, who is a man of 60 years of age, when asked by the president of the court whether he pleaded guilty, answered that the facts stated in the indictment were, generally speaking, correct; but that, as he firmly believed and hoped he would be able to replace the borrowed money, he did not feel guilty. The trial is the topic of general conversation in Vienna society. —Cor. London Standard.

Treasures in the Passaic River.

A few days ago "Bert" Lyons and a dozen other boys were diving in about ten feet of water in the Passaic river near Belleville, N. J., in rivalry as to which of them should bring up the most shells from the muddy bottom. When it was young Lyons' turn to plunge he remained so long under the water that his companions began to fear that he had gone down to stay, or else was gathering so many shells that the contest would be virtually over when he reappeared. He came up at last, however, without any shells, but holding aloft triumphantly, for the contemplation of his envious friends, a solid silver double case Waltham watch and chain that he had fished out of the depths. The watch had stopped at 7:20 o'clock, but the proud diver has ascertained that it will merrily resume work when the water has been pumped out of it and its internal organization has been soaked for ten days in oil. —New York Tribune.

Old Hats.

The man who was hurrying into the hatters recently was on business. He wanted his old hat. "When did you leave it here?" "I dunno," was the reply. They hunted over a great pyramid of hats and found it, labeled July 2. When the man went out the hatter said: "That man bought a new hat here and when he went out said he would call for it in half an hour. It has now been four weeks. We throw away seven or eight hundred old hats every year, for which the owners are going to call 'in half an hour.'" —Lewiston Journal.

Artificial vs. Natural Ice.

The manufacture of artificial ice has been begun in Reading, Pa., and the enterprise is already pronounced a decided success. The ice is made into cakes of 100 pounds each, and is declared to be of the finest quality. The retail price is the same as that of natural ice. Several of the big brewing companies of Reading have decided to manufacture artificial ice. The Reading Brewing company is now manufacturing artificial ice for the ammonia process. —New York Telegram.

Ravenous Prairie Chickens.

Young prairie chickens are beginning to roam about here. So ravenous have they become that nearly every gentleman who goes outside of the city limits for a walk carries a breech loading shotgun to protect himself, and is frequently compelled to kill large numbers in self defense. The bite of a prairie chicken causes an ugly wound. —North Platte (Neb.) Tribune.

The Morgue Crowded.

Forty bodies were taken to the morgue Friday, and the number is extraordinary. Thirteen were from Bellevue hospital, eleven from the institutions on Ward's and Blackwell's islands, six from the Foundling hospital, and the others from police stations and persons too poor to bury their dead. —New York Times.

The accounts of a pill maker who has just died in England show that he has been spending \$200,000 a year for advertising. His heirs, however, are finding no particular fault with this extravagance, as he leaves an estate valued at \$25,000,000—all due to pills and advertising.

Escaping an Embarrassment.

A local newspaper man who went down to visit his wife at the seashore recently had a very narrow escape from causing what, to put it mildly, would have been talk. His wife was boarding at the Blank house. It seems that there is also a New Blank house at this resort. Ignorant of that fact, when the young journalist espied a porter with Blank house on his cap he said to himself, "This is my place," and he allowed the porter to pilot him over to the hotel. On arriving there he asked, as a matter of form, if a lady of a certain name, giving his own, was staying there. On being assured that she was he remarked that he guessed he would go up to see her. "I don't believe she is up yet," remarked the clerk. "Oh, that doesn't make any difference," the other responded confidently; "I'll go up." The clerk stared at him, but finally gave him the number of the room and sent a porter along with him. "She must be up by this time," he remarked to the porter; "the lady wouldn't let her stay in bed." "The lady? Why, she has no lady," the porter said. Reiteration and denial followed, and finally it entered the journalist's mind that it was possible for a lady of the same name as his wife to be staying at that hotel. The matter was finally straightened out and he found his wife at another hotel. —Washington Post.

Signs of War on Broadway.

A procession of odd and dilapidated looking vehicles, fastened together and hitched to the tail of a large two horse truck, excited considerable interest as it proceeded lumbering along Broadway from South ferry.

The horses were pretty well fagged out by the time they reached the intersection of Park row, and the driver of the truck halted opposite the Astor house to give them rest and a breathing spell.

The vehicles, which consisted of four timbers and gun carriages, two of which were surmounted by four-inch bore field pieces of an antique pattern, were soon surrounded by a large crowd of idlers and curiosity seekers.

The guns and carriages were marked for the "Commanding Officer, Watervliet Arsenal, West Troy, N. Y." The truck driver explained that they were from Governor's island, and were on transit for shipment to the West Troy arsenal, where they were to be rehabilitated and modernized. The carriages, he said, weighed 2,200 pounds each, and the pieces of ordinance 500 pounds each, or 10,400 pounds together, which, besides the truck and driver, made a good sized load for a team of horses to draw on a warm day. —New York Herald.

Burglars' View of a Strike.

At first sight one would suppose that the class above all others that would hail with delight a general strike of police would be the burglars. Curiously enough this is not so. The professional burglar is dead against such a strike; for, as he correctly reasons, though the police ceased to protect property, property would not thereby be left unprotected. In fact it would be protected all the more by the owners themselves, and the burglar's special knowledge, acquired from local observation of the habits of the police, would for the time being be useless. In the police the burglar knows exactly what he has to cope with. When every household is his own policeman, however, it is different, for the burglar is quite ignorant of the weapons that may be waiting to receive him in any given case. —London Mercury.

Keep Off of White Sidewalks.

If a man wants to avoid being prostrated by the heat he needs to be careful how he walks over a white sidewalk with the sun on it. In very hot weather people wear white or very light clothing because it repels the heat, while dark clothes absorb it. It is just so with these white pavements. They never get so hot as dark ones, and are easier on the feet in consequence, but they reflect the heat on the person who walks over them. It is better to walk in the street than on one of these white heat reflectors when the sun is shining on it. —St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The Wealthy Ice Man.

The other morning an ice man, after firing three or four cakes of ice into the kitchen of an uptown restaurant, entered the latter place and ordered "one top sirloin, fried potatoes, or cup o' coffee or 'some toasted bread.'" "Does he do that often?" the waiter was asked. "Yes, every morning. Those fellows make a lot of money besides their wages. They can give us points on getting tips," he sadly said. —Chatter.

Complicity in Modern Athens.

A smile as big as a barn door adorns the Boston countenance when it reads of the social aspirations of some of the people who have gone to London this season. It appears to the self assured Bostonian that society in that vast town is nothing if not democratic, and he no longer wonders at the attraction it possesses when everybody who isn't anybody succeeds without difficulty in getting in there. —Boston Herald.

Sport at Duluth.

The people of Duluth were entertained on Friday by the captains of three tugs, who had a race ten miles away and return, with safety valves tied down and furnaces full to the doors. The pleasure of the populace was only marred by the fact that there was no explosion. —Detroit Free Press.

Pulp Manufacturers are Deeply Interested.

in an electrical method of reducing the wood in the manufacture of pulp. By this process it is claimed that the fiber is manufactured so cheaply that the entire pulp business will be revolutionized, and the digesters now in use be driven out.

Judge James M. Shackelford, of Indiana, appointed judge of a court in Oklahoma territory, took his son with him as clerk of the court. The son and clerk has recently distinguished himself by marrying a Cherokee.

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NEWTON CENTRE.

—Mr. and Mrs. John McKee lost their little child, Richard Conrad, last week, who died Sunday.

—Mr. Fred Hovey is at home for a week to recuperate.

—Mr. B. P. Shilaber is at Portsmouth, N. H., this week.

—The Cypress street bridge has been newly planked.

—Mrs. C. Coolidge is visiting friends at Central Falls, R. I.

—Mrs. S. L. Pratt has returned from Martha's Vineyard.

—Miss Mabel Mason of Homer street is at Falmouth Heights.

—Miss Mary Sylvester has gone to Clifton, Mass., this week.

—Councilman Roffe lost a valuable bay draft horse this week.

—Mr. Lawrence Mayo returns next Saturday from Canton, Mass.

—Mr. Wm. May and family are camping out at Marblehead Neck.

—Rev. D. A. Morehouse, Dedham street, has gone to Foxcroft, Me.

—Miss Norma and Miss Mary Morse are stopping at North Scituate.

—Miss Juliet Day of Centre street is enjoying the sea breezes at Hull.

—Miss Hannah Noonan of Medford is visiting Miss Nora Drennan.

—Mr. J. W. Work and family have left town for a few weeks' vacation.

—Mr. Fred S. Bates is at Wentworth Hall, Jackson, N. H., this week.

—Mr. John Linnell is back at I. R. Stevens' again, from his vacation.

—Mr. Wm. Johnson has moved into the Bacon house, near the post office.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Moore, Paul street, have gone to North Conway, N. H.

—Mr. Wm. M. Flanders and family of Crescent avenue are at Lisbon, N. H.

—Mr. W. H. A. Clark, Beacon street, is stopping at the Elm, Bethlehem, N. H.

—Miss May McGrady has returned from her vacation from Knapp & Co.'s store.

—Mr. John H. Sanborn and family returned this week from The Algonquin.

—Mr. T. A. Plimpton and family have returned from their outing at Lacombe, N. H.

—Rev. L. C. Barnes was registered at the Summit House, Mt. Washington, last week.

—Prof. Ernest Burton is a guest at the Clairmont House, South-west Harbor, Me.

—Mr. Geo. Fife has been taking Mr. Chas. Dudley's place on the depot car.

—Miss Ida Clement of Dover, N. H., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Estey, Oak Hill.

—Prof. Alvah Hovey has been confined to the house for a few days by a sprained ankle.

—Mr. C. C. Patten and family, Crescent avenue, are at Antrim, N. H., for a few weeks.

—Mr. Geo. E. Barrows has returned from his vacation at Old Orchard, Me., greatly refreshed.

—Mr. E. F. Hamlin and family of Paul street are spending a few weeks at Plainfield, Mass.

—Mrs. J. S. Newell, Station street, is registered at the Winthrop House, Kennebunkport, Me.

—Mr. D. D. Kidder, Jr., and family have returned from No. Falmouth to their Summer residence.

—Rev. J. W. Maile preached at the Congregational church both morning and evening last Sunday.

—Mrs. Thomas Nickerson and Miss Conforth of Newton Centre are at Hotel Preston, Beach Bluff.

—Miss Amanda Sylvester and Miss Marcela Sylvester are spending a few weeks at Cliffstone, Me.

—Mrs. Alden Spence and Miss Minnie Spence are registered at the Crawford House, White Mountains.

—Mr. Frank Clement and family and Miss Dora Stuart are at "The Waterston," Winthrop Highlands, Mass.

—Miss Grace Howes, who was injured while riding her tricycle some time since, is able to ride out this week.

—Miss Carrie Wood has returned to her home at Central Falls, R. I., after a visit of some weeks to Mrs. Coolidge.

—Rev. P. T. Farwell of Stockbridge, Mass., will preach in the Congregational church next Sunday, Aug. 24th.

—Lawyer Herzog and Miss Ida Herzog of Baltimore, Md., are visiting his sister, Mrs. Blaisdell of Homer street.

—George Maybey, who has been working in Richardson's market, has gone to Boston, to learn the upholstery business.

—Mr. A. J. Carswell and family have returned from Scarborough Beach, Me., to their pleasant residence, Marshall street.

—Councilman and Mrs. Geo. F. Richardson are entertained by her brother, Mr. Joseph Kyle, and wife of San Francisco, Cal.

—Mrs. C. P. Spaulding will remove next week to Ash street, Auburndale, and her daughter will enter Lasell Seminary this fall.

—List of advertised letters: Miss M. A. Allen, Miss Mary Donnell, Miss Jane D. Kelly, Miss Mary McWeed, Mr. Neil Walker.

—The Italian gentlemen who have been running the hair-dressing establishment in Cousen's block have departed for parts unknown.

—Mr. Edward Allen of Bangor, Me., has made Newton Centre his headquarters for a week or two while looking at Boston and vicinity.

—Rev. W. O. Stearns of New York state, who is visiting his brother, Mr. Chas. Stearns, occupied the Baptist pulpit, Sunday morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. Abner D. Colby and Miss Colby are registered this week at the Fairview, Brant Rock, Daniel Webster's favorite hunting ground.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Dudley are visiting friends in Worcester, Mass., this being the first vacation Mr. Dudley has taken for several years.

—Mr. H. W. Sweetser, a member of the G. A. R., and wife of Bangor, Me., have passed a few days with her sister, Mrs. Phillips of Pelham street.

—Rev. Dr. Thomas spoke to a very large audience on Cambridge Common last Sunday afternoon, at the meeting of the Boys' and Girls' Christian Band.

—Mr. Barrows, who has been at Hotel Pelham, has taken a suite of rooms at Mr. S. L. Pratt's house, Chase street, and removed there the first of this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Prentiss, Ripley street, are enjoying leisurely a trip through New York state, visiting Hulet's Landing, Shelving Rock, Lake George, and other places of interest.

—Garey & English are constructing a derrick for Gannon Bros. of West Newton.

The steel rope to be used on it was ordered from New York and is warranted to bear a strain of eight tons.

—Mrs. Dwight Chester had the misfortune to fall one day this week and dislocate her shoulder. Dr. Loring was called in, and only temporary inconvenience will result.

—Mr. Theodore Nickerson and family have returned to their residence, Institution avenue, this week, after an enjoyable outing at the grounds of the Ingelwood Club, Musquash, N. B.

—Arthur Webster, who recently received the degree of doctor of philosophy from the University of Berlin, arrived in New York in the German steamer last week. Dr. Webster has been absent four years.

—Mrs. Maria Welch of Cleveland, Ohio, and her son James, who were severely injured in the Quincy disaster, had been visiting in Newton Centre recently. Mrs. Welch being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliphant of Warren street.

—The horse, belonging to the man who relieves the local stores of their empty barrels, became startled while unloading his team from a feed box, at Mr. Stevens' store, Tuesday, and ran a short distance up Centre street, causing a good deal of commotion with but very little damage.

—Every year one of the anticipated events of the season at Kennebunkport, among the cottagers, is the "Barn Party," which is given at Madam Clark's old home, "The Mansion." The house is deserted and the sweet-smelling hay-barn is decorated with leaves and flowers; a stage is improvised, and private theatricals, charades, musical numbers and recitations entertain the limited number of guests. Madam Clark makes her home with her son, Rev. Edward Clark of Harlem at the Castle, during the summer, and Mrs. Charles P. Clark dispenses the hospitalities of the beautiful old mansion. The "Barn Party" came off last week, Miss Carita Clark distinguishing herself in the private theatricals as an elderly woman, while Mr. Frank Palmer was equally clever as an old man. Among the guests were Mrs. Wayland D. Ball, Mrs. W. E. Gardner and Miss Mary Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. H. Vincent, Mr. Harry Chatman, Mrs. Lee and Miss Constance Lee, who were all guests at the Parker House.

—There was a very pleasant family gathering at the residence of Mr. A. A. Sherman on Lyman street last Monday evening. It was held for the purpose of giving a parting smile to Mr. James H. Sherman of Terre Haute, Ind. Mr. Sherman is connected with the Polytechnic Institute of that place as instructor in wood work.

The following persons were present: Mr. G. B. Sherman, Mr. G. N. B. Sherman, Miss Alice Sherman, Miss Flora Sherman, Mrs. G. N. B. Sherman and two children, Mr. Thomas Fowler, wife and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wyeth, who has evidently made up his mind to capture a Sherman, and of course the family of Mr. A. A. Sherman, including his wife and two children, Miss Hattie Sherman and Mr. Uli Sherman. Other friends were expected but the mountains kept them away. Any one who has enjoyed the skill, delicacy and taste displayed by Mrs. A. A. Sherman in preparing a dinner, need not be told that on this occasion she gave the guests all that could have been desired both in quality and quantity; she almost surprised herself. After the dinner the company repaired to the lawn and told stories of old long ago until the guests felt compelled to take an early train to Boston, leaving a hearty good-bye behind them. While their elders were busy on the lawn, the children were within doors listening to some lively music, provided by Miss Hattie Sherman. The neighbors had an idea that an old-fashioned camp meeting of the Methodists had run away and located close by them. And yet there were no tears, for every one knows that a jollier set of folks than the Shermans is not easily found. Mr. James H. Sherman was formerly a resident of the Centre and a very active and worthy member of the Methodist church.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—The annual repairs of the Hyde school house are now being made.

—Mr. H. W. Taylor and family are at home from their summer vacation.

—Mr. S. D. Whitmore and family returned from their Maine visit on Tuesday.

—Miss Mattie Healey of Bridgewater is making a visit with Miss Eva Denison.

—Mr. R. Wright, after an illness of a week with malaria, has now resumed his duties.

—Mr. H. E. Durgin and family have gone to Winthrop Beach for a sojourn of two weeks.

—We hear that a wigwam for a tribe of the improved order of Red Men may be located here.

—Mr. James Simpson and family, who have been to the sea shore for a few weeks, are now at home.

—Mr. E. Bert Moulton returned on Saturday from a very pleasant vacation spent at Kennebunkport, Me.

—Hon. J. F. C. Hyde and wife have returned from a sojourn of several weeks at Compton Village, N. H.

—The Anthony house on Forest street has been let to Mrs. Geo. W. White of Boston, who will occupy it about Sept. 1st.

—Mrs. Lamson, formerly of Upper Falls, will occupy rooms in the residence of Mrs. Wheeler on Tappan place, about Sept. 1st.

—Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Tyler have gone to Kennebunkport, and will be the guests of his sister, Mrs. Charles P. Clark.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Estabrook left the Highlands on Wednesday and have gone to Canada for two weeks, to make a visit to a relative.

—Mr. David Bates and family are at Fitzwilliam, N. H. Mr. E. E. Bird and family and Mrs. Logan and children are also there.

—The mails now are open at 7.15 and 9.15 a. m., and 1.05, 5.25 and 7.20 p. m., and close at 6.45, 8.45 and 9.55 a. m., and 12.30, 4.55 and 6.40 p. m.

—Norman Terry has been enjoying a vacation at a month's New Hampshire. He has resumed the charge of the daily paper distribution at the Highlands.

—Mr. John W. White, eldest son of Mr. Daniel W. White of Patterson's block, has returned much improved, having journeyed through many parts of England.

—Mrs. Moulton has returned from Leicester, and is in Boston, caring for her mother, Mrs. Chick, who was taken ill with pneumonia while on a visit there.

—List of letters remaining in the post office—Mrs. Wm. Durga, Mrs. E. F. Collins, Miss Josie Hitchcock, George Noble, W. T. Simon Van Idring, Mrs. A. A. Wilkins.

—The trains formerly leaving the Highlands for Boston at 2 and 2.30 have been discontinued, and a train leaving at 2.17 takes their place, also the 6.49 p. m. express to Boston has been discontinued.

—Rev. Dr. Roberts of Brooklyn, will take the place of Rev. Mr. Chadwick of California, who was announced to conduct the services at the Congregational church on Sunday, Aug. 25th. Morning service at 10.30; evening service at 7. Seats free.

—Mr. J. C. Newcomb has gone to Nova Scotia for a stay of two weeks among relatives at his home. If his signboard tells the truth he has a very youthful partner in his business. His duties as sexton at the Congregational church during his absence will be attended to by Mr. William H. Geyer.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—The Rubber Works are rushing.

—Mr. Charles Bakeman is quite ill with rheumatism.

—Mr. Wm. Fitzgerald returned this week from Newport.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Newell were in town, Wednesday.

—Special Officer Ballou is taking Officer Leonard's night beat.

—Echo Bridge was visited by a large number, last Sunday.

—Mr. Edward Begley and Miss Kate Begley are at the mountains.

—Mr. Wm. Cargill spent a few days at Hough's Neck this week.

—Mr. Herbert Forbes has removed with his family to Maplewood, Mass.

—Miss Bertha Billings is entertaining a young lady friend from Framingham.

—Three young boys have been made an example of for fruit stealing this week.

—Officer Parcell is taking a few days vacation, and Officer Leonard is on for day duty.

—Mrs. Daniel F. Hagerty and family are domiciled at the Arlington, Nantasket beach.

—Cooper & Dyson's clerk, W. K. Dunham, spent Sunday with friends in Plymouth.

—Miss Jennie Freeman, who has been visiting friends in the western states, has returned home.

—Miss Lizzie Batchelder, who has been visiting Miss Ella Curtis, has returned to her home in Salem.

—The Gamewell Co. have all the work they can do and not have over 100 men at work in their new shop.

—Mr. Otis Pettie entertained several G. A. R. men Saturday and Sunday, at his hospitable residence, Elliot street.

—Mr. Edward Randall of Indiana, a cousin of Mr. Hiram Sherman, has been in town for a few days this week.

—The Italians at the basin had a day off Friday to celebrate one of their church holidays and they had a good time.

—Mr. and Mrs. John W. Howe have returned from a ten days' outing at Shelbourne Falls and the Hoosac Mountains.

—Mr. John Brandt, who is employed at the Custom House, Boston, will spend his vacation with friends in Little Rhody.

—Miss Alice Sullivan has left her position in the Dudley Hosely Mills, at Lower Falls, and is at work for the Fanning Printing Co.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Sherman will attend the Sterling camp meetings next week, giving him a few days relaxation from business.

—Mr. Daniel Hurley is entertaining one of the drummers who came on with a New York Post, G. A. R., for a few days. He is quite a musician.

—Mr. Victor Cahill caught his fingers in a machine at one of Crandall's Paper Mills last week and was obliged to have Dr. Thompson attend to it.

—The repairs on the boarding house belonging to Phipps & Train have at last been finished, and Mr. James Wilde will move in and take charge as formerly.

—Mr. H. A. Duffy, owner of the Barre & Union Granite Quarries, Barre, Vt., and Mr. F. A. Duffy, manager of the Barre Trotting Park, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. J. E. Cahill.

—Mr. Dennis Cushing died at his home, Mechanic street, Wednesday forenoon, from consumption. He was a young man of about 25 years of age and had been married but about four weeks.

—While Miss Jennie Hill, Mrs. Luke Copp and Miss Nell Leach were returning from a drive, Sunday, their horse took fright and overturned the carriage, throwing out the occupants. Mrs. Copp suffered a severe strain and the carriage was wrecked, but fortunately the other ladies were not injured.

—There is considerable talk of the formation of a lodge of Red Men by parties here and at the Highlands, and probably by fall we shall have the wigwam up, and will have many braves to assemble around the council fires and grunt and gesticulate in mysterious manner.

—Mr. James H. Sherman has spent several days with his brother, Mr. Hiram A. Sherman during his stay east. He has now returned to his home in Terre Haute, Ind., where he is an instructor in the Polytechnic Institute, and was accompanied by his daughter and her child, of Hyde Park.

—The Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Co. are commencing the construction of a large fire-proof safe vault on the corner of Chestnut and Oak streets, in which to keep their most valuable machinery parts and tools. The building is being built by Mr. H. F. Ross. Their fence is to be reset to enclose the entire corner and building.

—Rev. John Peterson, as one of the trustees of the Sterling Camp Meeting grounds, attended their annual convention at Sterling, Wednesday. Mrs. Peterson accompanied him and will remain through the camp meetings, which he held last week. Rev. Mr. Peterson will preach as usual Sunday, and will attend the meetings next week.

—There is much interest at present in securing a supply of gas for lighting in this ward. The Gamewell Co. factory is greatly in need of good light in the coming short days, and need to use gas in their factory. They have pledged a certain amount to secure to the Gas Co. the sum required in order to lay their pipes in our streets. Several public spirited citizens will give certain amounts, which will insure a good percentage over the sum actually necessary. Mr. Leonard of the Gas Co. says the pipes will be continued from Waban, where they are now being laid, down Chestnut street, up Boylston and along High and Oak streets, giving residents along these streets opportunity to use gas in their houses which many of them will do, several of the houses being already piped for gas. The work will probably be finished sometime in September.

ELIOT.

—Mrs. W. B. Monroe of Boylston street, has returned from Steep Falls, Me.

—Mrs. M. C. B. Chase is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hills on Harrison street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lewis of Portland, Me., are being entertained by her sister, Mrs. Gott.

—Eliot station sold over 250 tickets on the day of the parade in Boston, and is gradually increasing in regular business.

—Mr. J. E. Hills of Harrison street secured over ten dozen eggs from his twenty-four Plymouth Rock hens one week recently.

—Mr. F. W. Johnson of Newton, who is employed by the Gamewell Co. of Upper Falls, has purchased one of the new houses on Harrison street, belonging to Mr. B. Dickerman, and expects to occupy it the first of September.

—A change of time in the trains occurred the 17th, the train which leaves Boston at 1.45 p. m., and formerly run only to Newton Highlands, now reaches here at 2.17, and continues around the circuit. The 1.43 p. m. train has been changed to 2.13.

—Mr. William B. Bennett, the well-known painter, has been looking forward to the latter part of this week, when he expects to take a trip to Yarmouth, N. S., returning with a present Miss Crosby, who will then be known as Mrs. W. B. Bennett. His many friends will congratulate him in advance.

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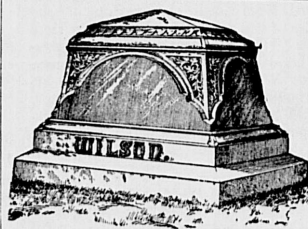
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—Dr. W. A. Browne is at Lake Geneva, N. Y.

—Miss K. T. Edmonds has gone to Beverly, Mass.

—Miss A. L. and Miss K. K. Wood are at Portsmouth, N. H.

—Mrs. W. J. Holmes is spending her vacation at Newport.

—Mrs. W. P. Wentworth left this week for Bellows Falls, Vt.

—Mrs. C. B. Prescott returns this week from North Woodstock, Vt.

—Mr. F. A. Foster of Eldridge street is to remove to Newton Centre.

—Miss Sarah Emery is at Sandwich, N. H., for the latter part of August.

—Messrs. Edward and Cates Bagley are at the North Conway House.

—Mrs. G. W. Minns and Miss Minns are at the Green Acre, Eliot, Me.

—Mrs. E. C. Fitch and family have returned from York Beach, Me.

—Mrs. Frankland has gone to Bristol, Vt., for a two weeks vacation.

—Mr. J. T. Langford is at the Sunset Hill House, Sugar Hill, N. H.

—Mrs. Dr. J. F. Frisbie has returned from her visit to Newport, R. I.

—Mr. Albert Brackett and family have returned from their visit at Hull.

—Mr. A. B. Cunner and family have returned from their summer vacation.

—Mr. Geo. R. McFarlin and family have returned from their stay at the shore.

—Mr. John Evans and family will return from Hough's Neck early next week.

—Mr. T. E. Jones and Miss Jones are registered at the Sinclair House, N. H.

—Mrs. J. A. Conkey left this week for the Highland House, Bethlehem, N. H.

—Mr. S. M. Sayford is attending the Secretarial Institute at Lake Geneva, Wis.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph N. Bacon are expected home from Magnolia next Tuesday.

—Mr. J. E. Trowbridge and family return on Saturday from their stay at Seaford.

—Rev. C. D. Bradley, D. D. of Boston, will preach in the Channing church next Sunday.

—Mr. John Joyce lost a valuable horse Tuesday noon, it having been sick but a few hours.

—Mrs. A. R. Bailey of Richardson street has been visiting in Newport, R. I., the past week.

—Higgins & Nickerson are building a new house for Miss Martha Hitchcock on Hollis street.

—Frank D. Frisbie is visiting Mr. R. H. Clouston at his summer residence, Centre Harbor, N. H.

—Mr. W. S. Hutchinson and wife are registered at the Jackson Falls House, Jackson, N. H.

—Mr. A. R. Bailey and family of Richardson street return this week from their summer vacation.

—See advertisement on local page of things offered on account of Mr. Bragdon's Round the World trip.

—Mr. Geo. E. Allen and wife and Geo. D. Allen have been at the Summit House, Mt. Washington, this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Burt, children and maid, were at the Summit House, Mt. Washington, last Friday.

—The curbstones have been set on Richardson street and the sidewalks are now being graded and concreted.

—Mr. J. B. Goodrich and family will board in Boston while their new house on Church street is being built.

—Mr. Carrier, the builder, has begun the foundation for a house on the Silsby estate, on the next lot to Mr. Gaffield's.

—Mr. F. A. Houdlette and family returned this week from a stay of two months at Cottage Park, Winthrop.

—Conductor Frank Wise of this city has been transferred from the 11 a. m. New York express to the 3 p. m. express.

—It is now the intention to extend Boyd street to Watertown, which will open up a good deal of desirable building land.

—Dr. Field, who is at the Oak Hill House, Littleton, N. H., has made a gratifying gain in health since arriving there.

—Mr. F. A. Hubbard of Hubbard & Procter, with his family, are at the Highland Light Hotel, Cape Cod, for two weeks.

—Rev. Mr. Hubbell will preach at Eliot church on Sunday, and Rev. Dr. Calkins is expected to officiate on the Sunday following.

—The Cottage Hospital ambulance was called into use for the first time Tuesday, to convey a sick person from Newton to the Hospital.

—Miss Dunklee, treasurer of the Newton Savings bank, has returned from her vacation, very much benefited by the rest from business cares.

—Mr. Louis Stanton leaves next week for Northfield, Minn., where he has accepted a position as musical director in a large seminary.

—Lucky for the cats and kittens of Newton whose owners are away, that the boys and girls at home are kind and willing to take care of them.

—Mr. Horace Page has accepted a position in the advertising business in New York City and departs for his new field of labor early in September.

—Walter U. Lawson has been elected president of the American Canoe Association. Mr. Lawson is one of the members of the Newton Boat Club.

—Rev. Dr. McKewen having returned from his vacation will preach in the Methodist church next Sunday at 10.45 a. m., and lead the social service in the evening.

—Mr. Frank J. Solis, who has been looking after the Philadelphia business of Fred Hartley, a well-known Boston wool broker, will return home early next week.

—Mr. R. H. Clouston will return next Tuesday from his 150 acre farm at Centre Harbor, N. H., where he has a fine old house on an elevation commanding magnificent views in all directions.

—The local express teams come from Boston every night heavily laden with the trunks of returning travellers, but the great rush is expected next week, when everybody will be coming home.

—At a meeting of the Waban Racquet Club, held Tuesday evening, it was voted not to hold the annual fall tournament. The annual supper will be held in Young's Hotel, Saturday evening, Sept. 27.

—Mrs. Wm. H. Blodgett, Miss Blodgett and Master Ernest Blodgett, who have been abroad for more than a year past, sailed for home on Thursday of last week by the steamer Lahn of the North German Lloyd line.

—Mrs. M. S. Magridge has returned from her vacation trip to Provincetown, and will be ready to resume business September 1st. Her skill and taste as a dress-maker have won her a large circle of patrons.

—Conductor Reed, who received so many

Newton votes for the Globe sword, wishes to express through the GRAPHIC his appreciation of the kindness of his Newton friends, who rolled up such a handsome total for him.

—Mrs. W. O. Trowbridge and daughters, Mr. Walter Trowbridge, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brooks, and the Misses Brooks, were among the guests at the brilliant reception at the Hesperus House, Magnolia, Wednesday night.

—People who have allowed boys to enter their grounds to pick up pears which had fallen from the trees, have had occasion to regret their kindness, as unless carefully watched the trees have been stoned and much fruit ruined.

—Miss Fannie L. Smallwood will re-open her kindergarten at 194 Church street, Sept. 8th. She will be at home to see parents who wish to make applications for pupils, on Tuesday morning and Thursday afternoon, Sept. 2nd and 4th.

—Some dog got into Mr. Moore's henry on Park street, Tuesday night, and killed a dozen of his handsome white Wyandotte chickens. It was perhaps the rise in the price of milk, that was talked of during the dry season, may not be necessary.

—The lawns about the city are showing the effects of the frequent rains and are now looking very fresh. The pastures are also very green and the rise in the price of milk, that was talked of during the dry season, may not be necessary.

—Mr. Allis, of the firm of Drew, Allis & Co., has been in Newton this week, making arrangements for the new Newton directory, to be issued this fall. There have been so many changes of residences that a new directory would be a great convenience.

—The Diamond Creamery, sold by C. O. Tucker & Co., is in great demand with families that have once tried it. It comes in from 5 to 30 pound tubs. The firm have also print butter in half pounds and fine dairy butter in small tubs at lowest prices.

—The Women's Educational and Industrial Union, 50 Boylston street, Boston, will hold a Dickens's Carnival, a week in October, at Music Hall. All Newton friends are requested to donate to the Silas Wegg's fruit stand or the Kenwig's table of fancy articles.

—Miss Spear's excellent school will reopen Sept. 8th, and some special advantages will be offered to pupils, able to those wishing to take lessons in gymnastics. Miss Spear will be at the school rooms, 308 Washington street, Newton, mornings, from Sept. 1 to 5.

—Rev. Dr. Shinn intended to be at home Sept. 7th, but on account of the great rush of travellers homeward he was not able to secure a state room on the date desired, but secured one for the steamer that leaves a week later, and expects to be here for Sunday, Sept. 14.

—Miss Ware, of Newton, a young girl of fifteen, has more attention at Kennelbunk than any other young lady, says the Saturday Evening Gazette, and seems utterly unspiced by it. She had fifteen invitations to ride in the carnival and races, and was the object of the winning boat in Saturday's race between "boys' double-oar with lady coxswain."

—Two young ladies on Elmwood street have had their share of sight seeing, having been out to the Cape Cod, and back to ground and three hundred and sixty feet under. They were on the steamer which rescued the crew of the ship wrecked steamer Marion. Had a fine view of a water sport and a full view of sea sickness. All this on the outside trip to Norfolk and Western Virginia.

—The electric cars, a lady correspondent says, should be built to have a front piece, so that the driver would be able to see the car, and as it looks like the back of a horse car, think that it is going in the opposite direction, and are apt to cross in front.

—It is supposed that the city of Boston experience and would like to prevent others from indulging in it.

—The Newton people at the Hotel Preston, Beach Bluff, took a prominent part in the building of the new building, Tuesday evening. Mr. A. B. Cobb and Mr. E. W. Converse, Jr., were on the reception committee, and among the guests were Mrs. A. B. Cobb, Mrs. E. W. Converse, Jr., Miss Lucy Cobb, Miss Pratt, Mrs. L. L. Adams, Misses Fannie and Mabel Adams, Miss Helen Nichols and Mr. Morton E. Cobb.

—John C. Brimblecom and W. L. Sampson of the Waban Racquet Club have entered the tournament in singles under the auspices of the Dip Tenis Club, to be held at Dorchester, Sept. 13. The prizes consist of a number of handsome silver cups which are now on exhibition in Wright & Smith's window, Washington street, Boston. The Newton Tennis Club will probably be represented in the tournament.

—Boston seems to have carried off the honors at the annual convention of the Photographers' Association of America, held at Washington recently. A Boston photographer, Mr. George H. Hastings of this city, was elected president for the ensuing year; the same gentleman was awarded the grand prize for the best set of photographs illustrating Tennyson's poem, "Enoch Arden," as well as two medals for miscellaneous work.

—The sad news of the death of Philip D. Stone has caused much sorrow among the young people of Newton with whom he was a favorite. After finishing his freshman year at Harvard, he and three other classmates went west to spend their vacation at the home of one of them, Cheyenne Mountain Ranch, Colorado Springs, Col. About four weeks ago a typhoid fever appeared at the ranch, and he was taken seriously ill, together with members of the family. Dr. Stone was sent for and arrived shortly before his son's death, which occurred last Friday.

—Mrs. Edward Spear died Sunday morning at her residence, Walnut park, after a long illness. She has not been well since the death of her husband, a few months since, and her illness was due more to advanced age than to any special disease. Mrs. Spear was one of the oldest residents of Newton, having lived here for 48 years, and was a member of Eliot church. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Wellman, a former pastor of the deceased, and Rev. Mr. Merrill of the Baptist church, conducting the services, and appropriate hymns were sung by a quartet. The interment was in the family lot in the Newton Cemetery.

—The late Miss Charlotte Blanchard, among other bequests, left \$200 to the Cottage Hospital.

—The Cottage Hospital ambulance is kept at S. F. Cate's stable in West Newton, and was called into use this week.

—The foundation wall for the private ward is finished, and the want of bricks is now delaying the work.

—The contagious ward is boarded up, and men are at work on the interior. It is located on the extreme end of the Hospital lot, which is very deep, and is a long distance from the main hospital. The City Treasurer has given his check for \$2,000, the amount appropriated by the city for the building.

—Mrs. Harry Brooks of Waverley avenue has sent her check for \$300, for a free bed at the Cottage Hospital. This is the third year Mrs. Brooks has made such a handsome donation.

—The Nonantum Industrial School will have an exhibition of the work of the pupils in the various departments on Tuesday, Sept. 4, at 3 p. m. at the Athenaeum building in Nonantum. All friends of the school are invited to be present.

THE LOBBYIST UNPAID.

M. J. Cuniff's Claim on the Town of Watertown.

HE DEMANDS \$300 FOR WORKING BEFORE THE LEGISLATURE A MONTH TO PREVENT THE SETTING OFF OF MORSE FIELD TO NEWTON—SAYS THE SELECTMEN CAME TO HIM IN DESPAIR.

(Boston Advertiser.)

WATERTOWN, Aug. 27.—(Special.)—For many years the people of this town have opposed the desire of other residents to have Morse Field set off and annexed to Newton, and each year a vigorous fight has been waged on both sides. The Morse Field people believe they have a righteous cause, as all their religious and social interests are in Newton, and they are geographically located across the river from the remainder of Watertown, and nearly all their estates are within a half mile radius of the centre of Newton Village. The fight has gone on from year to year with no real success to the petitioners, although several years they have come "very near" securing a report from the selectmen and council have labored diligently, and have succeeded in warding off a favorable report by the committee on towns. This year the petition has been put in, but the petitioners intend to renew their prayer in 1891.

And now comes forward M. J. Cuniff, one of Watertown's well known and influential politicians, and declares that he has not been paid for services as a lobbyist at the state house last year for the gr. at work performed by him, as he declares, securing an adverse report by the legislative committee on towns. Cuniff swears that he will have every cent that belongs to him, even if a special article has to be placed in the town warrant to bring it about, and tells this story:

"The chairman of the board of selectmen came to me at my work in the iron foundry and said they needed my help, for they were driven to a corner. I had a great deal of influence with certain members of the committee, and instructed me to go to work for the town and to leave no stone unturned, to do anything and everything to secure a report against the annexation and prevent a bill from being reported. I went to the state house, left my work and did all I could and reported after some time that I felt I had done all I could, and that every thing was all right. The chairman said: 'No, you have not done everything, yet, keep on and pursue the thing. The counsel for the town said to me: 'I must not stop, and that my work might not be done for several months. This was the last part of January, one year ago. After further efforts I finally did give up working and they sent for me the second time and told me they didn't like the looks of things, and therefore after much pleading saw several members of the legislative committee and reported against the annexation, and everything was all right. Not long after the counsel for the town sent for me the third time and said that unless certain members of the committee could be won over everything was lost. I saw him and made the whole case a sure one, in my opinion. They sent for me the third time and told me they didn't like the looks of things, and therefore after much pleading saw several members of the legislative committee and reported against the annexation, and everything was all right. Not long after the counsel for the town sent for me the third time and said that unless certain members of the committee could be won over everything was lost. I saw him and made the whole case a sure one, in my opinion. 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California Correspondence.

OAKLAND, AUG. 1890.
To the Editor of the Graphic.
California has begun to prepare in earnest for the World's Fair in Chicago. It may seem too early to some of the slower and older states of the union, but such a large state, abounding in animal, vegetable and mineral wealth, cannot afford to be found napping when such an opportunity is offered for displaying the wonderful products of the Pacific coast. A section of a big forest tree has been already cut and shipped to San Francisco from Tulare county for this purpose. However, the section will be exhibited at the Mechanics Fair in that city before being taken to the World's Fair.

The section was cut from a tree which was 312 feet in height, and was severed 28 feet above the stump, at which point the tree measured 60 feet in circumference. A section could not be cut from the lower portion of the stump, which was considerably larger, for the purpose of transportation, because freight limits on freight flat cars would allow of a section but nine feet in height and twenty feet in diameter. Three flat cars were required to carry the section of tree to the city. At the World's Fair this big redwood will be made into a hall which will hold about one hundred persons. The entire section is now separated into sixteen pieces. One, which is one foot in height by twenty in diameter, is intended for the hall floor. It is one solid piece weighing 10,728 pounds. The floor will be supported by a time elegantly carved pedestal made from the same tree. The largest piece of the section is seven feet high by twenty in diameter; this is hollowed out, and will be placed on the floor, forming the sides of the hall. A swinging door made from the tree will serve for the opening, and it is reported that 250 incandescent lights will be used outside and inside of this hall, and souvenirs of the tree will be distributed to the people who visit the hall.

A giant plank has also been received from Hawley's lumber mill in Humboldt county, and is now on exhibition at a lumber yard in San Francisco, prepared to be sent to the World's Fair in Chicago. As there was no saw large enough to cut the plank it was hewn out of a large tree. The plank is five inches in thickness, 12 feet in length, and 16 feet 5 inches in width.

It has been proposed by a vineyardist that a vineyard of several acres be transplanted in Chicago in order to show the methods of vineyard culture in California.

The raising of raisins from the grape is becoming each year a more prominent industry, and vineyardists are expecting a great demand this year for table grapes, both at home and in the Eastern markets. This year appears to be a prosperous one for California fruit growers. No one of them is heard to say that he is pleased because of the failure of the peach and other kinds of fruit at the East; but the Eastern demand has caused an increase in prices so that the profits have been much larger than usual. In fact the Eastern call has been so great that the best of the fruit seems to have been sent from home, leaving us the poorer fruit at an advanced price. For both canned and dried fruit the demand promises to be greater than the supply, but this will doubtless lead to planting of many new orchards and raisin vineyards. Even dried fruit has been climbing up in price, leading the Selma Enterprise to remark that, "if dried fruit keeps going up for a few days the author of the past year's hony-handed son of toil won't need any money to travel on the cars, he can just stick a dried peach in his pocket and hand it out when the conductor comes around and the latter can cash it out at the packing houses when he gets to the city."

Not only are most of the fields, orchards, and vineyards prosperous this year, but there is unusual activity in mining interests. In some cases old mines have been re-timbered and cleaned out. There are reported to be more active mining developments in Butte county than for many years past; this is the case in several other northern counties. The passage of the Silver bill has awakened renewed interest in the silver mining of California's neighbor, Nevada. It is reported that there will probably be more sales effected and more mines developed this season than for the last ten years.

BOOKS AND MAGAZINES

THE ATLANTIC.
Mr. Lowell's "Inscription for a Memorial Bust of Fielding," though brief, is the most remarkable piece of writing in the Atlantic for September. Dr. Holmes, in his installment of "Over the Teacups," discusses on the fondness of Americans for titles, and gives a lay sermon on future punishment, and ends it, as do many preachers, with some verses. Mr. Justin Winsor considers the "Perils of Historical Narrative," and Mr. J. Franklin Jameson contributes a scholarly paper on "Modern European Historiography." Mr. Fiske adds an article on the "Disasters of 1780," and these three papers furnish the solid reading of the number. Hope Noton continues her amusing studies in French history, this time writing about Madame de Montespan, her sisters, and her daughters. "A Son of Spain," the chronicle of a famous horse, Mr. Quincy's bright paper on "Cranks as Social Motors," and "Mr. Brisbane's Journal," the diary of a South Carolinian, written about 1801, are among the other more notable papers. Mrs. Deland's and Miss Fanny Murrell's serials, a consideration of American and German Schools, and reviews of the "Tragic Muse" and other volumes, complete the number. Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston.

SCRIBNER'S FOR SEPTEMBER.
There are three important illustrated articles in the September number of Scribner's, of which the most interesting, to our mind, is the first paper in the series by Mr. R. F. Zogbaum on the recent cruise of the squadron of evolution. Mr. Zogbaum went for the special purpose of preparing these papers, and his text and his illustrations are alike attractive and entertaining. As fine a piece of work as one often sees in a magazine is the full page cut of the squadron in mid-ocean. The reader who has a particle of love for the sea in his composition will devour this article eagerly. Another installment in the architectural series is "The Country House" by Mr. Donald G. Mitchell. Some quaint and charming homesteads, old and new, are shown; and what Mr. Mitchell has to say of them is most agreeably said. An account of Heligoland will attract no little attention just now. The writer of this paper thinks it a charming place, and the cut bears out his opinion. Four articles of graver import—each in its way

of interest—are the fifth instalment in the "Rights of the Citizen" series, in which his right to his own property is discussed by Mr. James S. Norton; "African River and Lake Systems" by Mr. Thomas Stevens; the first paper of a treatise on "Nature and Man in America" by Professor Shaler, written with the clearness and accuracy which he knows so well how to command; and a brief discussion of "Millet and Recent Criticism" by Mr. W. C. Larned. One of the most attractive things in the number is Mr. Russell Sullivan's story, "The Clerk of the Weather," written with that freshness of feeling and distinction of style which are winning for Mr. Sullivan a deserved reputation in this difficult field of literary effort. The poetry of the number is not especially meritorious; but "The Point of View" department is readable as usual.

George William Curtis, in the Editor's Easy Chair of Harper's Magazine for September, makes some very pertinent remarks concerning the state of feeling which exists at the present time between Englishmen and Americans. "There is a political game," he says, "always playing in this country, of which abuse of England is one of the counters. But the intelligence, the conscience, and the love of liberty in America are America, and they do not hate the same qualities over the sea, which are the England from which America sprang."

Wide Awake for September is out and is full of good reading. "The last baseball of the Season," will not only interest the boys but many of mature years who understand the National game. "She did not go to the cooking school," a tragedy in three scenes, is a dramatic sketch of interest. "The New Senior at Andover," is completed in this number. "Men and Things," is choice reading from beginning to end and nothing between the covers is dull.

A locomotive has an advantage over a man,—it can whistle and smoke at the same time.

"Johnny, how many seasons are there?" "Three: pepper, salt and de base ball season."

Barium runs tremendous risks. How so?

Every time he reads his biography he takes his life in his hands.

Physiologists say that the older a man gets the smaller his brain becomes.—This explains why young men know everything and old men nothing.—Courier.

Last and Worst. "You are looking pretty hard this morning," said the egg.

"Yes," answered the egg. "I am just getting over a boil."—Terre Haute Express.

"How are you, tragedians?" "First rate. Just in from Rochester." "I'm dead?" "Were you detained by the strike?" "Strike! What is there a strike on the road?"—New York Sun.

Meek but dignified: "Have we traitors in our midst?" cried the orator. "I have not any in mine," meekly replied a grammarian who sat in the front row.—New York Sun.

During the convention of the North American Association for the Propagation of Volapuk in Boston, the police will need to be cautious about arresting people who do not speak coherently.—Springfield Union.

At the first production of a farce comedy.—First Nighter: "Who is that fellow in the box?" Second Nighter: "The author of the play." First Nighter: "He ought to have better taste than to laugh so uproariously." Second Nighter: "Oh, that's all right. He is the author of the play, but he never heard the jokes before; the actors put them in.—Dunlop's Stage News.

Mrs. Blimber: "Why are they making such a fuss about tin plates?" Mr. Blimber: "Chiefly because of the political pie that's baked in it, I fancy."—Boston Post.

The Retort Courteous—Adams: "Well, Jones, been getting drunk again?" Jones (angrily): "That's my business." Adams (pleasantly): "So I understand."—Life.

Senator Hawley is so enamored of the "home market" that he thinks "trying things around is no particular blessing in itself." Yet Mr. Hawley's party would tax the people to pay bounties to ships solely and expressly for the purpose of carrying things around.—[Philadelphia Record (Ind.)]

Perhaps no local disease has puzzled and baffled the medical profession more than nasal catarrh. While not immediately fatal it is among the most distressing and disgusting ills the flesh is heir to, and the record shows very few or no cases of radical cure of chronic catarrh by any of the multitude of modes of treatment until the introduction of Ely's Cream Balm a few years ago. The success of this preparation has been most gratifying and surprising.

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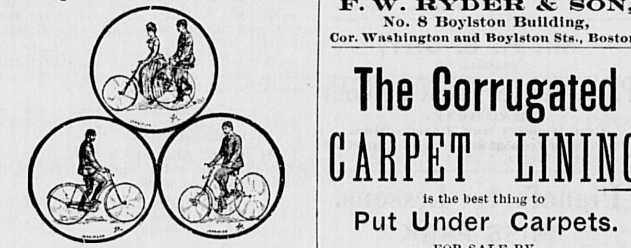
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On Eggs!
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The McKinley Tariff in Europe.

Mr. Max Jaegerhuber writes the following to the Dry Goods Economist: "During a hurried trip through Europe, from which I have just returned, I obtained the views of many leading merchants and manufacturers, importers and exporters, with reference to the possible effects of the McKinley bill, if that measure as now before the Senate should become a law."

"I was most forcibly impressed by the uniformly calm, intelligent and carefully guarded expressions of opinion on the whole subject of tariff legislation with which my questions were met."

"While Chemnitz and its entire district has been for years a tremendous feeder for the American market, every representative manufacturer, the President of Commerce, and leading exporters, unite in stating that there can be no criticism of the United States for adopting a policy of protection to their manufacturers."

"When such a bill as the McKinley Tariff is introduced, Mr. McKinley seeks to saddle upon the country is up for argument, there remains but one answer for Europe, and that is absolute retaliation, and Germany for one, will retaliate."

"The feeling in Saxony, Rhenish Prussia, Creifeld, Elberfeld, Barmen, Manchester, Bradford and Belfast is, of course, intensely bitter, but as yet the attitude is dignified."

"Nothing indicates the high degree of intelligence among the industrial princes of Europe but the language employed to show their enemies' mistakes. Each one concedes that America may properly protect to the extent of the difference in labor cost, as originally intended, and as the ideal protective tariff should operate; but these gentlemen argue that the McKinley bill is a wild absurdity as regards your home interests, placing high taxes on raw materials and falling oftentimes to afford real protection to manufacturers, despite the high duties." An instance of this class of defect is said to exist in braids, where the duty on yarns which are imported to make these braids is marked up so high that the manufacturer comes out with less actual protection under the new bill than he now enjoys. Moreover, they say, both the animus and the matter of this measure are distinctly and avowedly hostile and prohibitory towards Europe, goods, and that is an attitude which not even the great republic can safely assume.

"There can be no doubt that Europe favors the American market, and enters largely to its manifold demands; but Europe has the markets of the world, and the United States as manufacturers are largely confined to themselves, while the surplus agricultural products of the United States have to be exported. Now all foreign governments, though they may be divided in all other things, will, if driven to it by our Congress, unite in the most rigid retaliation ever known in commercial war, and will reduce our exports to a degree we do not now dream of."

"There is another important and lamentable fact in connection with this matter. Already these estimations of the loss to the American market many millions dollars worth of fabrics of all kinds beyond the legitimate demand possible under a normal condition of the trade. I have myself witnessed, while in Europe, the export of goods which will cripple the American market for a long time ahead. There will be a perfect flood of textiles and other dutiable goods this summer, and we will pay for it all! No one but the very one whom we profess to protect, namely, the domestic manufacturer. I only wish that every member of our honorable congress could have had my experience of the last two months before casting his final vote on the McKinley Tariff Bill."

—MAX JAEGERHUBER.

The Attempt to Shut out Southern Iron.

No more conclusive proof of the industrial growth of the South could be afforded than is furnished in the action of the Pennsylvania Railroad in increasing rates on the transportation of Southern iron. This increase, it is frankly admitted by the freight agent of the railroad company, as reported in the Philadelphia Press, has been made at the instance and for the protection of Pennsylvania manufacturers. "It was done," said the agent in response to inquiries, "at the request of the Pennsylvania iron-men. The iron business was dull, and in their letter they mentioned that the rate charged to the Southern manufacturer was lower than that charged to the Pennsylvania furnaces. The matter was looked into, and we found that the freight rates for Southern iron were lower, for the rate charged to the Pennsylvania furnace was based on a local rate and the Southern charges were based on a through rate. It is only right that we should look after the interests of our home business." In other words, the competition of Southern iron has become so great in Pennsylvania that it has made the iron trade dull for the home furnaces, and forced them to call upon the railroads for aid in shutting out their Southern rivals. The only way apparently that they can hope to retain their supremacy is by excluding the Southern product from the State. It is absurd to speak of the "comparatively small amount of Southern iron that is carried," and yet in the same breath to advance rates to keep this small amount from competing with the native article. It is clear that the iron industries in Virginia and other Southern States are beginning to make the share of the protected Pennsylvania manufacturer pinch very badly. A few years ago he wanted protection from the pauper labor

of Europe, and now he wants Protection from other States of the Union. In the latter case he cannot get Congress to interfere as he did in the former, but he has sufficient influence with the Pennsylvania Railroad to lay an embargo on Southern iron. Of course so narrow and short-sighted a policy will only defeat its own object.

If the iron mountains of the South cannot be carried to the business Mohammeds of Pennsylvania who have the good sense to buy where they can buy cheapest, the Mohammeds will go to the mountains. In the words of a Pennsylvania iron man: "The whole upshot will be that the furnaces and iron-manufacturers in this State who use Southern iron will try to get the Pennsylvania Road to give another and a lower rate, and if they do not, there is a probability that a number of the furnaces will be moved to Virginia, where they will have their disposal of the raw material instead of paying tolls on the raw material will only have to pay freight on the manufactured article. Much of the capital invested in Virginia by Pennsylvania iron-men did not go into this thing for fun, the mean business." Protection may be a good thing for the protected as long as it protects, but when it fails to do so what are they going to do about it? Evidently such an expedient as calling to their aid a railroad corporation can be but a temporary makeshift in a country where new and competing railroad lines are springing into existence every year. But even if such a device were effective in excluding Southern iron from Pennsylvania, it could not save the iron interests of that State from the inevitable operations of the laws of trade and business. If iron can be made more cheaply in the South than in Pennsylvania, it will be made there, and the Pennsylvania manufacturer will either have to recognize that fact, and act accordingly, or shut up shop and go out of business.—Baltimore Sun.

Of the restoration of the duty on works of art by the Senate Committee, the Philadelphia Telegraph (Rep.) says: "If this had been done by a town council of Timbuctoo or the petty authorities or any other in-sular representative of civilization, it would be understood, for the reason that it would be in absolute harmony with barbaric practices; but it having been done by that body which has been sometimes called 'the assembly of the gods,' the nation of this nation which lays claim to be civilized, or enlightened even, it cannot be understood at all."

Economy in Shoes.

Almost every one tries to be economical at one time or another, but there are very few people who economize wisely.—Clothing is one of the easiest things to be foolishly economical about. This is particularly true about shoes. Shoes are essential to comfort, though perhaps not to happiness.

A man who has tight shoes on, or whose shoes wobble around on his feet, cannot be really comfortable, neither can he be comfortable if his shoes are crooked or twisted, or do not look well. If he has to wear the same pair of shoes every day, they wear at the same places on his feet, and detract from his comfort. It is also bad business policy.

Shoes cost from \$1.25 to \$14 a pair. Fourteen dollars is as much as any pair of ordinary walking shoes cost in New York City. Second-hand shoes can be bought as low as twenty-five cents a pair. There is a wide margin between the two. A man who wants to be economical usually buys neither one kind of shoes nor the other. He does not buy \$14 shoes nor does he buy second-hand shoes, because he does not like the many of having second-hand things. Usually he gets an imitation of the best grade of shoes.

This is the most costly thing he can do. A real \$14 dollar shoe will outwear two or three pairs of shoes that are \$7 pairs of shoes, and do not pretend to be anything else. But that is not so much what the economical man pays. Instead of going to the cheaper shoe stores and getting tired of their beer shoes, he goes to one of the costly shoe stores and gets their cheapest shoe. This is one of the petty economies which a man thinks saves him \$10 or \$15 a year and which does not.

The way to clothe one's feet cheaply is to buy several pairs of shoes at a time and never to wear any of them out. Shoes worn twice a week will last for years, and a pair of shoes worn every day will not last more than a few months.

When a man wears the same pair of shoes every day, the strain comes on the same places in the shoes and the same parts of his feet; the shoes get damp and the tension is not relaxed except at night. When a man steps into a mud puddle or gets his shoes rained on one day, the leather gets wet and is not in condition to be worn, while if the shoes were put away and let stand for a few days, they would be all right again, and might even be better for having been wet.

The style does not change in shoes as in hats and clothes, so there is no trouble in preserving them indefinitely. Two pairs of patent leather low shoes will do for summer wear for five years if properly treated. Three pairs of walking shoes will last for two years without needing half so long. They will always look well, only all the shoes must be bought at once and kept in some place where they will not be a little point in economy which will save any reader of this paper more than its cost.—New York Sun.

A Rich Marriage Ceremony.

The following description of a marriage in Illinois by a newly-appointed justice of the peace, who is something of a wag, is taken verbatim from a letter written to a friend in St. Louis:

Having been appointed to the desirable "posh" of justice of the peace, I was accosted on the fifth day of July by a sleek looking young man, who in silvery tones requested me to proceed to a neighboring hotel, as he wished to enter into the holy bonds of matrimony. Here was a "squealer." I had never done anything of the kind, had no books or forms; yet I was determined to do things up strong, and in a legal manner, so I proceeded to the hotel, bearing in my arms one copy of the Revised Statutes, one Webster's Unabridged Dictionary, one copy large size Bible, a small copy of the creed and articles of faith of the Congregational church, one copy of Pope's "Essay on Man," and a sectional part of the map where the victim lived.

Having placed a table in the middle of the room, and seated myself behind it, I raised my tones called the case. With that the young man and woman, with great alacrity, stepped up before me. Having sworn them on the dictionary to answer well and truthfully all questions I was about to ask, I proceeded. I told the young man that, being an entire stranger, I should have to ask him to give bail for the costs. Having heard this so frequently in court, I thought it indispensable. He answered if I meant the fee for performing the ceremony, he would deposit it then and there. As I did not exactly know what I did mean, I magnanimously waived that portion of the ceremony. I then told him it would be necessary to give bail to keep the peace. This he said he was willing to do when he arrived home, and then I waived that point also. Having established to my satisfaction that they wanted to get married, and that they were old enough to enter into that blessed state, I proceeded to tie the knot. I asked him if he was willing to take that woman to be his wife. He said he was. I told him that I did not require haste in the answer,—that he might reflect a few

minutes if he wished. I told him she looked like a fine girl, and I had no doubt she was, but if the signed proved that he had been taken in, I did not want to be held responsible. I said he must love, honor and obey her as long as she lived. He must not be "snappy" around the house, nor spit tobacco juice on the floor, all of which he promised faithfully to heed. "Now," said I, "Georgiana" (her name was Georgiana), "do you hear what Humphrey says. Do you accept the invitation to become his wife? Will you be lenient toward his faults and cherish his virtues? Will you never be guilty of throwing furniture at his head for slight offences? and will you get three meals a day without grumbling?" She said she would. I asked them if they believed in the commandments, and they said they did.

Having read the creeds and articles of faith, as aforesaid, I exclaimed: "Humphrey, take her, she is yours; I cannot withhold my consent. Georgiana, then, take him, he is yours. Humphrey, you can defy the scoffs and jeers of the world." I then read a little from the "Essay on Man," including that passage, "Man wants but little here below, but wants that little long." As a final to the scene, I delivered the following exordium: "Go in peace, sin no more." The generous Humphrey having placed a fifty-cent check in my unwilling palm, I bade the happy pair a final adieu.

Thanks to the Moon.

Her eyes met mine that summer day, As idly we sat on Sheephead bay; They met again, but she turned away; So say we love that summer day. On the porch that night we talked apart; I made some reference to my heart. I spoke of her eyes, for they seemed divine. The moon retired—her lips met mine. —R. W. Criswell, in New London Bee.

Better Than a String.

"I want something," said a farmer as he entered a Michigan avenue drug store the other day.

"Well, what is it?"

"I didn't tie a string around my finger, but I guess I can get around to it all the same. What's the name of the lake below us?"

"Lake Erie."

"Exactly, what's the name of the bay which the boats run to?"

"Put-in-bay."

"Correct. Now, then, who put in there?"

"Straight as a string. I want ten cents' worth of perryoric. My old woman said I'd be sure to forget it, but here's the proof that I didn't."—Detroit Free Press.

A 17th Century Mermaid.

John Pendleton, who has compiled a book on "Newspaper Reporting in the Olden Time and To-day," gives this example of how England's great journalist of the 17th century, Nathaniel Butler, kept his readers informed: "A perfect mermaid was, by the last wind, driven ashore near Greenwich, with her comb in one hand and her looking-glass in the other. She seemed to be of the countenance of a most fair and beautiful woman, with her arms crossed, weeping out many nearly drops of salt tears; and afterward she gently turned herself upon her back again and swam away without being seen any more."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Biblical units have the following equivalents: A shekel of gold was 88. A talent of gold was \$13,800. A talent of silver was \$538. 30. Ezekiel's reed was nearly 11 feet. A cubit was nearly 22 inches. A bin was 1 gallon and 2 pints. A mite was less than a quarter of a glass. A shekel of silver was about 5 cents. A Sabbath day's journey was about 3 miles. An ephah, or bath, contains 7 gallons and 5 pints. A day's journey was about 23 1/2 miles. A hand's breadth is equal to 3 5/8 inches. A finger's breadth is equal to 1 inch. A farthing was 7 cents.

A tidy sum was spent in Boston by and for the entertainment of the Grand Army boys. The banquet alone cost close to \$9,000; camp Sheridan \$13,000; and other quarters, including rents, enough to swell the amount to nearly \$25,000; \$80,000; spent in decorations, etc. There was a guaranty fund of \$50,000; the state appropriated \$50,000 more, and the city \$25,000. A conservative estimate places the money spent in the city by the visitors at \$750,000, and that in round numbers \$1,000,000 was put in circulation by the gathering.

Wife—"I'm writing to Mrs. Van Cortlandt Lake, dear; shall I put in any word from you?" Husband—"That woman makes me dreadfully tired. Give her my kindest regards, of course."—Puck.

Man proposes, and—then goes home wondering how he managed to make such a fool of himself over it."—Puck.

The Off Rejected. "You have no sisters, Mr. Cilley, have you?" "I never had until this summer," said Cilley sadly. "I've got seven now."—New York Herald.

There is some consolation in knowing that the man who takes up two seats in the horse car counts for only one in the census.—Deacon.

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THE SENATORSHIP.

The question of the next Senator from this district is one of the most interesting ones now before the people of Newton, and from present indications Mr. Arthur C. Walworth will have a large majority, if he is not the unanimous choice of the Newton delegates. The leading Republicans in all the wards are giving the movement in his favor a hearty endorsement, and the general sentiment seems to be nearly all one way. The fact seems to be recognized that Newton should stand together, and the old practice of having a candidate from every ward, which made the city so ridiculous at conventions in days gone by should be changed.

Had this practice been followed two years ago, Newton would have had both the State senatorship and the congressman, but the division lost us the opportunity and made the city the laughing stock of both conventions, and the butt of all the papers in the district. It is certainly time that a reform was made in this respect, and it is gratifying that it is to begin this year.

There has been some question as to whether Mr. Walworth will stand, but while he will not be a candidate in the sense of going about soliciting votes, he will accept the nomination if it comes to him. From outside of Newton his name is very favorably received and last week the Watertown Enterprise very significantly said:

At present it seems as though Newton would go to the convention with two or three men and get left as she has so often. If Newton can go to the convention with a single man, and that man A. C. Walworth or W. S. Slocum, he will very likely receive the nomination.

It might be added that the position of Watertown is the position of the rest of the district. Newton unfortunately has not votes enough to control the convention, and so it is wiser to send a candidate who will be acceptable to the other towns. They have already announced that they will be glad to unite in favor of Mr. Walworth, and they would have done so two years ago had Newton sent a united delegation.

The nominations for the Senate and the House will be scrutinized very closely by the people this year, and it is of the highest importance to the state to send men who are free from any suspicion of corruption influence. The Boston & Albany free stock bill has not been forgotten by the people, and promises to be quite an issue in the campaign and the other legislation of the past two years will also come up for criticism. Mr. Walworth is free from any connection with this, as he left the house two years ago, and his reputation as a man beyond the reach of corruption influence will make him one of the strongest candidates that the district could nominate. The movement in his favor is so largely a spontaneous one that it has every promise of being successful.

MR. CANDLER'S COURSE.

In another column will be found two diverse opinions in regard to Mr. Candler's course in regard to the "spoils" one from Mr. D. W. Farquhar and one from Mr. C. B. Coffin, chairman of the ward and city committee.

Mr. Farquhar represents a good many of the workers for Mr. Candler who feel that he has given them the cold shoulder since getting into office, that they have received nothing by way of compensation, as Mr. Candler has not interfered in the post office fights to reward his friends. One instance is that of Mr. Dessau of Framingham, who was a very active politician two years ago, an original Harrison man, a friend of Mr. Blaine, and a worker for Candler. He wanted the postoffice at Framingham and had a very strong petition, but he failed to get it, much to his own disappointment and that of his friends. Recent developments have conspired somewhat, however, in regard to this one office, though there are others in which the same thing has happened. The whole case seems to be summed up in the question, what encouragement is there to work for a man who won't help his friends when they have elected him.

Mr. Coffin takes the opposite view and thinks Mr. Candler has made himself much stronger by refusing to use the postoffices as rewards, and by appointing the man whom the patrons of an office wanted, whether he was a Democrat or a Republican. This is the civil service theory and Mr. Candler's case will afford an opportunity to observe its practical workings. Can a man be re-elected when it is known that those who work for him will have to be content with the mere consciousness of well-doing? Mr. Farquhar contends that he cannot, and Mr. Coffin holds that he can, and the issue in

Mr. Candler's case will be watched with interest.

The GRAPHIC has not been a special admirer of Mr. Candler, but in this case it thinks his position is much stronger with the people than it would have been had he pursued a different course. The post offices belong to the people and not to the Congressmen, and it would not be a popular move in the ninth district to use them to pay political debts. Mr. Candler is able to pay for any service rendered him, and he should prefer to pay for such services out of his own pocket rather than out of the public purse.

Supposing that he had appointed Mr. Dessau in Framingham, that he had removed Mr. Turner in Newtonville, and had filled other offices with his friends. He would have pleased perhaps one man, in each case, and made a lukewarm friend, and at the same time have made a hundred bitter enemies. As it is, while there may be some disaffection among a few of the party leaders, the great majority of the party who look for no favors endorse his course, and the independent voters of the district, who hold the balance of power, warmly commend Mr. Candler for his course in regard to the offices. The people of the district have a much more vital interest in having their wishes followed in regard to their local postmaster, than in Mr. Candler's votes on the tariff or on any other question, and the raising of this issue just at this time will probably be of benefit to Mr. Candler.

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT.

It is reported, and it may be said on very good authority, that Mr. John T. Prince will be chosen by the school board as the superintendent of schools. Mr. Prince is a recent comer to Newton, having taken up his residence in Newtonville, and was for four years superintendent of schools in Waltham, so that he is not without experience. He has also been for several years an agent of the State Board of Education. If he is chosen, the citizens of Newton will give him a cordial welcome, and with a new broom will hope that all the unfortunate school troubles have been finally settled.

It is said that the board have had several candidates under consideration, including Mr. Waterhouse, but that they lacked the courage to try to induce him to leave a \$3,800 position in the English High School, Boston, to accept a salary of \$3,000 in Newton. There is certainly a great field in Newton, awaiting an active, liberal-minded and intelligent superintendent, and the choice of a man for that office is the most important duty before the school board.

In regard to the salary, Newton already pays more than many other cities of double her size, as, for instance, to name a few of the cities in the state, Fall River pays \$2,500; Springfield, \$3,375; Cambridge, \$3,000; Lowell, \$2,600; Brookline, \$2,500; Chelsea, \$2,400; Worcester, \$3,500; and Boston, \$4,200.

Gentlemen who know Mr. Prince say that he is an authority on educational matters, and some years ago he was a formidable candidate for Secretary of the State Board of Education, and his claims were very warmly advocated by many prominent educators.

MR. HASKELL DECLINES.

Col. E. H. Haskell appreciates the very flattering reference made to him in the Springfield Union last week, in connection with the position of secretary of the State, but says that owing to his increasing business cares, it would not be possible for him to accept such an office, and he has so advised numerous friends, who have been urging him to make a canvass for the position.

In a personal note to the GRAPHIC Col. Haskell endorses Col. Olin very highly and says that he "is a most excellent Candidate, thorough capable, honest, and in every way reliable, and besides he has a good record as a soldier." Col. Olin has evidently warm friends, who would like to see him a candidate.

We are afraid the Milford Journal is becoming an "artful dodger" on the tariff question. It has given up the clothing conundrum, since we answered it too plainly for the Journal's views, and it now shifts over to shovels, and wants to know, you know, why Governor Ames should have free iron for his shovels, and the workingman not have free shovels. Doesn't the Journal know that the effect of the tax on shovels is to make them cheaper, and that the tax was put on solely that the workingman might have cheap shovels. If the Milford Journal does not know this it has not read the American Economist and the Boston Journal as religiously as it should. Besides, according to these two papers, it is the foreign shovel makers that pay this tax so that the American workman can buy his shovels much cheaper than he could if there was no tax. Nevertheless, what are the hundreds of workmen employed by Governor Ames going to do, if his shovel company is driven out of business by the tax on iron? That is the only question that really affects Massachusetts, and it is one that the Journal ought to consider. Of what benefit is it to us if Pennsylvania is prosperous, while all our factories are closed up, and our workmen forced to seek work in other states?

The lower house of Congress is no longer a fit place for ladies, and Speaker Reed ought to have the galleries closed to the general public or have the house adjourn. When Republican members call each other vile names and indulge in pot-house brawls it is time for summary action. The trouble arose over Mr. Cannon's censure of Democratic members for breaking a quorum, when, as Congressman Andrew explained, they were paired with Republican members who were absent canvassing for a reelection.

He himself was paired with Mr. Lodge, who is electioneering in Maine for Speaker Reed. The result of the row was that all the absentees are ordered to return, and they should not have been allowed to leave in the first place. The spectacle of a member leaving his public duties to go about the country doing campaign work is hardly a creditable one, and if the campaign work must be done, let the house take a recess. The plea that some of the organs make that Wednesday's row was no worse than rows that have occurred between Democratic members shows how low the majority have fallen. The national legislature is no place for rowdies, no matter to what party they happen to belong.

SENATOR DAWES has come out as an advocate for free coal, which shows that some idea of the change in public sentiment has even reached the Senatorial chamber at Washington. It is now in order for the Boston Journal to denounce Senator Dawes as a free trader, and a mugwump, and to trot out its absurd chestnut that it is the foreign importers who pay all the duties on coal as they do on all other imports. But the business men of New England are in earnest in their demands for free coal and free iron ore, and Senator Dawes is shrewd enough to see it, and also that he was sent to Congress to legislate for Massachusetts and not for Pennsylvania.

The storage battery seems to give considerable momentum to street cars, as one of the famous Beverly & Danvers cars crashed into and demolished a horse car on Wednesday. The storage battery car is said to have been going at the rate of 15 miles an hour, and it is difficult to see how an overhead trolley wire car could have done better. It is curious that the storage battery men find so much trouble in having their system adopted, but perhaps the system does not include an efficient lobby.

The Boston correspondent of the Springfield Republican gave an outline of the strong claims of Hon. Thomas Weston for appointment to the bench, and the article is given in another column. Governor Brackett would make an excellent choice should he select Mr. Weston, and would do much to increase his popularity in Newton and in Middlesex county.

The Watertown selectmen, according to M. J. Cunniff's story reprinted in this issue from the Boston Advertiser, did some curious things in their efforts to beat the Morse field annexationists.

THE CANDLER CONTEST.

A DIVISION OF SENTIMENT AMONG NEWTON LEADERS.

The following interview with Mr. D. W. Farquhar appeared in the Boston Record, in regard to Mr. Candler's prospects:

Congressman J. W. Candler of Brooklyn will not be as heartily supported in the ninth district this fall as he was last year. Several leading men who were hard and earnest workers in his behalf will not lift a finger for him this fall.

D. W. Farquhar of Newton is one of the disaffected. "John Candler is in politics for John Candler, and for no one else," said Mr. Farquhar, positively. "He has forgotten since he arrived in Washington that he was there simply as the representative of his district. He will have hard time getting back again. I have served nine years on the district committee. I shall not take a place on it this fall, though I have just come from talking with a man who feels more strongly than I do. He will also refuse to serve on the committee."

"Will the disaffection amount to opposition in the convention?" "No. The disaffection is very close in off years, and with the trouble which Mr. Candler has made, and which runs all through the district, it would be hard for even a new man to win. He would not like to imperil his chances by standing. No, Mr. Candler will be renominated, if he wishes. He is likely to be defeated also."

The great feeling against Mr. Candler, it is understood, arises largely from his summary action in regard to federal appointments, having disappointed many of his best supporters in more than one case.

WHAT CHAIRMAN COFFIN SAYS.

The talk about the Republican nomination in the ninth district continues. A Record man called on C. B. Coffin, the chairman of the Republican city committee of Newton today. Mr. Coffin, also a member of Mr. Candler's committee, spoke out emphatically regarding the opinion of D. W. Farquhar, quoted in Saturday's Record, dealing with Mr. Candler's candidacy.

Mr. Coffin had this to say of the matter: "I would not consent to be interviewed on this subject, except that in justice to Mr. Candler, who in my opinion has made one of the best representatives that the district has ever had, the position that I hold entitles me to state that the interview with Mr. Farquhar is decidedly misleading."

"He says that Mr. Candler has lost ground on account of the federal appointments. On the contrary, I think that he has gained ground. Through all of the matter he has been upon the side of civil service reform, and I believe that this will be a strong factor in the issues before the people this fall."

NEWTONVILLE'S POST OFFICE.

In regard to the Newtonville post office, Mr. Turner, the Democratic incumbent, had made an excellent postmaster, and was a candidate for re-appointment. There were two other candidates, both had friends, and petitions were sent in to Washington. Mr. Candler was not in a position to tell which of the three candidates the people of Newtonville wished. He looked the ground over and endeavored to the best of his ability to find out whom the majority of the Republicans of the place wanted for the position. I went on to Washington, saw Mr. Candler, and the first question that he asked was, "Whom do the people that patronize that office want for postmaster?" This, in my opinion, was the true way to look at the matter. I told him that it was Mr. Turner and that an Australian ballot would decide the matter well. He agreed to the proposition, such a ballot was held, only Harrison Republicans were allowed to vote, a check list was used, and Mr. Turner was elected by a vote of 3 to 1. After the election the

defeated candidates expressed their satisfaction and approval of the method and the choice.

"Mr. Candler has made himself stronger by the way in which he has carried out the wishes of the people. Many Democrats are pleased with his course and have themselves told me that they intended to vote for him."

"My experience has taught me since I have been a member of the Republican committee that the Republicans of Newton are heartily in favor of getting the best men to fill government offices, and therefore are in favor of Mr. Candler."

"Mr. Candler will not only be nominated, but will be elected. The people of Newton will not be ungrateful."

That Generous Gift.

(Milford Journal.) It is understood that a proposition to increase the capital stock of the Boston & Albany road \$5,000,000 is to be submitted to the shareholders at the annual meeting in the latter part of September. This is the heritage, or rather one-half of it, bequeathed to the B. & A. by the exceedingly generous legislature of last year, which really meant watering the stock considerably over \$20,000,000; and confined the benefits thereof to the stockholders, among whom it is divided pro rata at par—a clean gift of \$128 to \$138 on each share.

Nothing Small About Us.

(Milford Journal.) There's nothing small in the desires of some of 'em down in Newton. They want the Republican candidate for secretary of state, the Democratic candidate for Congress and the Republican nominee for the state senate. Well, Newton is a pretty good sort of a place, after all, and ought to be well used, though some of its people we wot of are not liable to die of dyspepsia induced by inordinate modesty.

—The work on the drainage of the Elm street district which included the building of a ditch connecting with Cheesecake brook is about completed. A new culvert has been built over Oak avenue and the adjacent territory graded by S. F. Mague.

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WALKER—At Newton, Aug. 24, William Walker, 23, Minnie S. Walker, 20 years, 10 months, 15 days.

BRUMEL—At Newton, Aug. 24, Maria Brumel, 62 years.

HARVEY—At West Newton, Aug. 22, Martin son of Martin and Elizabeth Harvey, 5 months.

CLARKE—At Newton, Aug. 25, Helen Frances Clarke, 41 years.

MURPHY—At Newton, Aug. 27, Mary R. daughter of Martin and Mary Murphy, 3 months.

LAWN—At Newton, Aug. 21, Alice J., daughter of William and Mary Lawn, 9 months, 16 days.

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—Harry Wandless has been laid up with an attack of malaria.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Bean are visiting friends at Winchester.

—Mr. Hartshorn is building a fine new residence on Cabot street.

—Rev. D. H. Taylor and family are at Noyes' Beach, Westbury, R. I.

—Miss Annie P. Call is passing August with Mrs. C. J. Blake in Maine.

—Mr. J. P. Lewis and family are visiting relatives in Newton Highlands.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Savage are enjoying their vacation at Henniker, N. H.

—Mr. William Hollings and family return from North Weymouth Saturday.

—Mr. Geo. H. Pigott is registered at the Jackson Falls House, Jackson, N. H.

—Mrs. W. F. Osborn and son, Austin street, have returned from the seashore.

—Hammond Stowell has returned from a vacation trip passed at Lake Sebago, Me.

—Misses Alice and Mildred Thompson are at the Florence House, North Scituate.

—Mr. W. J. Follett entertained a bowling party in the club-house yesterday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. D. King-bury and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lunt are at the Bird farm, Stow.

—A. A. Savage has purchased a handsome roan mare, a stylish stepper and good rider.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frothingham have returned from their tour through the White Mountains.

—Mrs. George W. Morse and the Misses Morse have returned from North Woodstock, N. H.

—Mr. H. P. Dearborn has been passing a few days at the home of his parents in Ware, N. H.

—Miss Kingsbury is at home again from her attendance of the Universalist convention at Weirs.

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—Mr. John Atkinson and family have returned from Beachport, where they have passed the summer season.

—Frank Hyslop has entered the employ of U. H. Dyer and commenced his new duties Wednesday morning.

—Rev. A. E. Dunning, D. D., of Boston, will preach in the Central Congregational church next Sunday morning.

—Mr. Chandler Holmes has gone to Chicago on a business trip. He is accompanied by his wife and two sons.

—Mr. P. C. Brigham's new house on Cabot street is boarded in and work has been commenced on the interior.

—Fred Leavitt's pile of votes were cast for Capt. Martin L. White, who was among the leaders in the Globe sword contest.

—Miss Stowell, accompanied by her brother, left here Friday for Minneapolis, where they will remain for a few weeks.

—Officer Clay's house is boarded in. The genial Tom has been laboring also and has made considerable progress on the grading.

—A section of Walnut street near the high school building is undergoing improvements under the direction of the highway department.

—Miss Kate Glynn, one of our popular school teachers, is the guest of Mrs. R. M. Morgan at the Granite State Cottage, Old Orchard, Me.

—Mr. J. L. Richards entertained Mr. F. L. Safford of Springfield and Mr. F. L. Orent of Sacramento, Cal., at the clubhouse, Monday evening.

—List of letters remaining in the post office, Aug. 23—Mrs. L. M. Flint, Maggie Kelly, Annie Mollay, C. A. Snell, 2 Mrs. Wilbur, Richard A. Uravva.

—Miss Jeanette Grant was one of the delegates to the Volapuk conference held in Boston this week and is a member of the Massachusetts department.

—Ex-Mayor Kimball went out Monday for the first time since his illness. He had been confined to the house by a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

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—Mrs. D. H. Fitch and son-in-law start the latter part of the week for Cedar Rapids, Iowa, where Mrs. Fitch will pass a month with her daughter, Mrs. Gertrude H. Dickinson.

—Miss Mary Byers is expected home this week from her mountain outing at Gorham where is a charming spot to stay in, or make trips from and where she has spent a delightful fortnight.

—Mr. Samuel Dockendorff of Philadelphia has been visiting friends in this ward, though making only a short stay. His genial presence is a delight and the only regret was his limited time.

—Henry L. Pike of Lebanon, N. H., representing the Wales Goodyear Shoe Co., was in town Wednesday. He has established a Boston office and will probably again become a resident of Newtville.

—Rev. Henry Blanchard, D. D., will occupy the pulpit of the Universalist church Sunday morning. At 7 p. m. a praise service will be held which will probably be attended by both Mr. Blanchard and Mr. Nash.

—Miss Sarah Hill started yesterday for Chicago by the Hoosac tunnel route. She will spend two months in the West, stopping a portion of the time at Racine, Wis. She will make a stop on her way at Niagara Falls.

—The patrons of the bath house have not been long although there was a good deal of kicking on account of the delay in erecting the lockers, probably on the part of some parties who don't believe in swimming.

—Mr. Charles K. Drury of this ward received 2212 votes in the Globe sword contest and receives one of the souvenirs. Capt. John Q. Bird is also among the favored ones, having received nearly 1200 votes.

—Mrs. May Sawtelle has returned from a very pleasant outing at Greensborough Lake, Vt., and is quite recovered from her recent illness. Camping parties, where pleasure and profit in the way of health are so delightfully combined, are to be commended.

—A little breeze of excitement was awakened Monday when Dr. Woodman's horse attached to a light buggy dashed up Walnut street, progressing only a short distance, however, as the animal was fortunately stopped, thus preventing probability of an accident.

—The out of door fair held by Carrie Curtis, Lillie Garrison, Margaret Tapley and Lizzie Garrison last Friday, on Mr. Chas. Curtis's veranda, Otis street, was a great success; for these children, from five to nine years of age, as a reward of the afternoon's work, contributed \$55 to the Newton Cottage Hospital.

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—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kattelle are in Burlington, Vt. for a few days.

—Miss Bessie Anderson has returned from Berlin, with improved health.

—Hall & Washburne are busy painting several of the houses on Pigeon Hill.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. French have returned from their trip to Bar Harbor.

—Mr. F. Gardiner and family have removed from Central to Melrose street.

—Mrs. I. R. Worcester is at Mrs. Walker's, Hancock street, for a few days.

—Mr. Edward Kelly is in Nova Scotia, hoping to improve his impaired health.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall returned from their visit to Woodville, Monday.

—Mrs. R. E. Ashenden has gone to Pabny, N. Y., on a visit to her mother.

—Mr. John R. Robertson returned from the American Canoe Club meet this week.

—Mr. E. Warren Walker is expected home from Winter Harbor, Me., this week.

—Mr. G. L. Hinman of Jamaica Plain will occupy one of the cottages on Pigeon Hill.

—Mr. H. L. Jewett is enrolled as a guest at the Strawberry Hill House, Bethlehem, N. H.

—Mr. J. S. Hunt and family returned Saturday evening from their stop at Milbury.

—Mr. J. F. Washburne of Hall & Washburne, is at Milton, N. H., enjoying the fishing.

—Mr. Merrill Taylor has secured a position with the New York & New England Railroad.

—Miss Kate Plummer, organist at the Congregational church, will be away for two weeks.

—Mrs. Ralph Davenport of Charles street is spending a week or more at Saratoga, N. Y.

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—The Rev. Mr. Herriek, missionary from Turkey, preached in the Congregational church last Sunday.

—Mrs. Buss's house, off Auburn street has been leased and will soon be occupied by Mr. Stickey and family.

—Mr. Frank A. Child has been suffering with rheumatism this week, being unable to leave the house two or three days.

—Messrs. Horatio Page and Thomas Phelps are enjoying life in camp, on the banks of the Charles river this week.

—Mr. A. L. Damon of F. A. Childs, has leased a house on Charles street in which he will go to housekeeping next week.

—Mr. F. C. Kelley's house, Central street, has been undergoing alterations and presents a greatly improved appearance.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Clarke are receiving congratulations for a small model of humanity, called Ernest Sidney Clark.

—The new degree staff of Riverdale Lodge, N. E. O. P. initiated three new members at their meeting, Monday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Knapp and family are camping at Lynnfield with Mr. Phillips and Mr. Pease and family, recently of Auburndale.

—Mr. F. W. Seitz and family who have been occupying a house on Lexington street the past summer, have gone to the mountains.

—Rev. I. R. Worcester has sold his estate, corner Hancock street and Woodlawn Avenue, to Dean Denison of Newbury street, Boston.

—The Shub-Shub-Gah Canoe Club of Winchester, have an open regatta, Sept. 1st at Mystic Lake, which may interest some of our readers.

—The planks and timbers which are to be used for the bridge between Cran Island and Waltham, but which were unloaded at Baker's coal yards this week.

—The Rev. James O. Lincoln of Whitehall, New York, brother of Walter M. Lincoln, assisted the Rev. Mr. Metcalf last Sunday, and preached a most acceptable sermon.

—The Gamma Zeta Bowling Club, which has monthly meetings at the Newton Boat Club house, last season, have decided to hold but one meeting each month this winter.

—On the first Sunday in September, choir singing will be resumed at the Congregational church, where we had a chorus choir, similar to that of last season, and will be conducted by Mr. Clarence Ashenden.

—Wedding cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Gertrude Briggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. W. Briggs, and Mr. Edward Ruthven Brown, which will take place in the Congregational church, September 11th.

—Mr. John Ware, assistant superintendent of streets, is very ill at his home on Auburn street. He was taken with a severe cold the first of the week which developed into a fever, and Wednesday night he was very delirious.

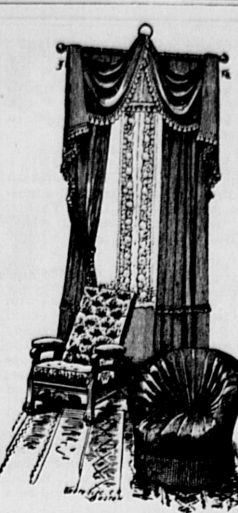
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—The letters remaining in the post office, Aug. 23, are as follows: Miss Mary A. Audsby, Mrs. M. A. T. Baker, Will H. Holten, Mrs. L. P. Langworthy, Miss Katie Murphy, Miss Alice Sweeney, Mr. Joseph Willett, Miss Hattie E. Webster.

—Woodland Park Hotel received the following guests this week: Miss A. M. Williston, Cambridge; Miss M. E. Copp, R. Marston, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Thayer, F. H. Williams and wife, Miss L. A. Williams, Miss Ella Pomroy, and Ralph P. Ahl, Boston; Dr. L. F. Potter and wife, Malden.

—The death of Mrs. Henry G. Perkins, the widow of a former superintendent of the Boston & Albany R. R., was a sad event to those who remember her as a resident of Auburndale years ago. She was a woman of rare qualities, and was useful, respected and beloved to an unusual degree by all who had the privilege to know her. On Monday afternoon she was laid to rest by the side of her husband in the quiet churchyard of St. Mary's, Newton Lower Falls. She would have been eighty years old one month from the day she died.

—During the Grand Army encampment, one of the most attractive windows was that of Mr. E. W. Tyler, on Tremont street. Mr. Tyler belonged to Grierson's Cavalry, Illinois, during the greater part of the war. A fine portrait of Gen. Grierson and one of Gen. Starr, were tastefully draped with the national colors. Between them was a shield surmounted by the eagle and having a trophy of arms below it, the whole having for a background an im-



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mense flag. Great numbers of Illinois people were gratified by the beautiful window. Mr. Tyler is an old resident of Auburndale.

—The wedding of Mr. Arthur Hill and Miss Eddy in the Congregational church in Westboro, on Wednesday evening, was attended by a large number of Auburndale people. Rev. Mr. Fay and Rev. Mr. Cutter officiated. The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Charles E. Eddy. Her sister Carrie was maid of honor. Mr. J. P. B. Fisk of Auburndale was best man. The ushers were Waldo Cole, Morton E. Cobb, Edward Bates and Walter Eddy. A reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents immediately after the ceremony. The presents were numerous and elegant. A gold watch was presented to Mr. Hill by the Auburndale Sunday school, of which he was superintendent. Mr. and Mrs. Hill sail for Japan on Sept. 27. He goes as business agent of the American Boat.

—A special meeting of the Newton Boat Club was held in its clubhouse, Riverside, Tuesday evening. The resignation of the secretary, Mr. Horace Page, was accepted and Mr. Morton E. Cobb elected in his stead for the balance of the club year. The special committee reported relative to the improvement of the clubhouse. It was voted to secure plans which would provide for the enlargement of the bowling alleys, which are to be made to conform to the regulation alley adopted by the Interclub Bowling League. The contemplated improvements will cost in the vicinity of \$1000. It was voted to bring up the question of the club's expenses in the approaching bowling tournament at a special meeting to be held Tuesday evening, Sept. 3, when the plans for the proposed enlargement of the clubhouse will also be acted upon. A vote of thanks was passed, expressing the club's appreciation of the services of the retiring secretary.

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A Story of a Cave.

Exploration just made of a cavern on the Stewart farm, about two miles from Barnassus, Armstrong county, has revealed subterranean passages of a somewhat remarkable character. The entrance is a perpendicular opening about 80 feet in depth. At the bottom the place had the appearance of an inverted cone, with about one-third of the apex and part of the side cut off, and measuring about 24 feet at the base. The walls are of a dark gray color, rather smooth. From here a corridor about 4 feet wide and 3 feet high leads for several yards to a room where the light reveals a scene of grandeur. Stalagmites and stalactites are in profusion, and in shapes and forms to almost equal those of the Mammoth cave.

The chamber is about 65 feet long by 80 feet wide, and the furthest end terminates in a deep pool of water. The water is perhaps 15 feet wide. The water is pure as crystal. No living thing was seen by the explorers except a peculiarly striped crustacean animal about 1 inch in length, resembling a crab, but of a dull yellowish color. The temperature registered about 59 degs. In one corner of the first cavern were found a few specimens of arrow heads and an iron knife, but nothing else to denote that a human being had ever entered before. Further than the pool exploration was not made. A complete investigation will be undertaken by persons who have secured the land.—Philadelphia Press.

She Wanted a Prescription.

One of our Belfast girls has gotten the idea into her head that she would like to be married. She broached the matter to her father and he promptly thrashed her. The next thing she did was to start out to find a lawyer and get his assistance in the matter. But by mistake she got into a doctor's office, and thinking him an analyzer of the law unbundled her troubles to him. The doctor, thinking her a patient, for some time listened to her tale of woe.

Finally the truth dawned upon him that it was a lawyer she wanted, and he told her of her mistake. Then she lighted on him with her tongue, and said he had deceived her and drawn her whole story maliciously, and that she would not only have a lawyer to assist her to get married, but to send the doctor to prison, and with all the scorn of her sex she swept out of the office. But it is safe to say she will be married by and by.—Belfast (Me.) Age.

A Western Union Fixture.

One of the gentlemen who were most seriously affected by the Western Union fire, in the way of personal inconvenience, was Mr. Finnegan, who has guarded the portals of the operating room of the establishment for more years than some persons care to own up to. Thousands of operators know and appreciate Mr. Finnegan. When the operating room was destroyed by the fire he had to seek new headquarters, and he established himself in a chair at the head of the stairs leading to the fourth floor of the building. There he sat and held sweet discourse with many persons toiling up the ascent and blessing the memory of the elevators. But his new surroundings were not congenial. "Sometimes," said Mr. Finnegan in a burst of confidence, "it seems to me as if I didn't know where I was with all the coming and going."—New York Times.

Treasures in Maine.

It is reported from Maine that buried among the clam shells at Cundy's harbor the Pejepscot Historical society recently found some rare and suggestive reminders of prehistoric times. Bones of the deer, porpoise, beaver, fox, woodchuck and some smaller carnivorous animals, birds of several kinds, including a well preserved specimen of the wing bone of the great auk, now wholly extinct, were picked up. Fragments of pottery were numerous, as well as chips of stone broken off in the manufacture of stone implements. Of implements half a dozen perfect and some broken ones were discovered. Only one piece of worked bone occurred—a broken awl.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Raving Crazy.

Witness—An' then Mr. Sims, thar, 'lowed he was a rooster, an' strapped on a tin bin an' went to pickin' corn with the chickens.

Probate Judge—Probably the extreme heat made him a little flighty. He'll come out of it all right, I reckon.

Witness—Next day he wandered out on the street an' told every new comer he met that this town wa'n't boom'in', an'—

Spectators (in one voice)—Ravin' crazy!—Puck.

The Heir to Fabulous Wealth.

Baron E. de Rothschild, of Paris, is the only son of Baron Alphonse de Rothschild, head of the Parisian branch of the great bankers. He is tall, blond, fine looking and about 23 years of age. Having finished his university course he is spending a few years in travel. For the past five months he has been seeing America.—Washington Post.

A Queen's Body Picked.

The body of the Queen of Corea, who died June 4, is still kept in brine, the process of embalming being unknown to the people of that far off land. The body will be kept four or five months, according to the custom of the country, and then interred with much pomp and ceremony.—Exchange.

Gen. Hastings, of Pennsylvania, who is spoken of for director general of the World's fair, is said to be a noble specimen of manhood—tall, broad shouldered and deep chested. He first became known in political life by his speech nominating Sherman at the Chicago convention.

M. Constans has refused to allow a real Spanish bull fight to be held at a fete in aid of the Martinique sufferers. The Italian authorities have less good feeling for the next corrida (the fifth) to be held at Naples, is under the special patronage of a benevolent society.

Hints to Fishermen.

The most symmetrical pole doesn't always catch the most fish.

Always fish in muddy water. Turtles and small "catties" are sure to bite at such a time.

When fly fishing carry in your hat no less than one dozen flies. This is always an indication of being an experienced angler.

Never use a net when using a fly pole. When a bass is hooked attempt to haul him out as though he were a small sunfish. If you use a net you might possibly catch him and destroy the tale of "the big one you hooked, but which escaped."

Fish with a pole as thick as a man's arm, use a mason's cord, the largest hook manufactured and tie a ten pound weight to the end of the line. The weight makes a big "splash" when cast into the water and may attract the attention of the bass.

For good fishing always select a "slough" away from the creek, and anchor your line firmly. Fish might bite at the bait and destroy it if it were submerged in the Brandywine.

Never go "fishin'."—West Chester News.

A New Occupation.

The latest occupation open to women is that of lamp carer. I don't know if that's what the ladies who take care of lamps call themselves, but that's what they really are. There are two in the city now, or there will be two during the winter. They are "reduced gentlemen," and each morning they visit a number of houses and clean, fill and "fix" the various fine lamps set before them. The average servant can do nothing with a lamp but spoil it; but these ladies don their aprons and rubber gloves, clean the outside and inside of the lamps, see that the wicks are in good order, fill the lamps and leave them so that even the stupidest servant cannot prevent them from burning well.

They have studied lamps, know the right kinds and sizes of wicks, know whether colza oil is needed in one kind of lamps and "starlight" in another, and altogether they take away from the owners a great deal of the care which the management of the rediscovered and much multiplied lamps brings upon them.—Chatter.

Dutch Training at Sea.

When the Prinz Frederik collided with the English ship Marpesa on June 25 the commander of a detachment of Dutch colonial forces which happened to be on board immediately ordered the assembly sounded, and the men fell in on the deck like clockwork in the face of certain loss to the ship. Their conduct was an invaluable example to the passengers and crew, for although the entire company were then transferred to the boats with perfect quiet and dispatch, the Prinz Frederik went down as the last boat left her side. She carried with her six Dutch private and an officer, who doubtless had been overwhelmed by the waters rushing in at the point of collision.—Chicago Herald.

The Red Cross Society.

Senator Sherman has introduced in the senate a bill to incorporate the Red Cross society, with Clara Barton, George Kennan and other well known persons as incorporators. The purpose of this society, briefly stated, is to mitigate distress in the emergencies of war and peace. This mission of humanity and charity has been amply justified on many occasions, and nowhere more notably than in the appalling calamity at Johnston, in this state. Valuable as the Red Cross society has proven in the past as a volunteer auxiliary of the governmental departments its future in an incorporated form should show an increased measure of usefulness.—Philadelphia Record.

Killed by a Performing Leopard.

At the palace of Bangkok the other day a performing leopard was brought in for the amusement of one of the young Siamese princes. In one prince's retinue was a young girl of about 14 years of age. The leopard jumped on her breast. It was merely in play, said the animal's care taker, who begged her not to be frightened, but in another moment the leopard had seized the girl by the throat, and she died in sight of the horrified spectators, who fled in panic.—London News.

The mayor of Newport, Mont., declared some new baths open. He then withdrew, and throwing aside his robes of office reappeared before the large gathering of ladies and gentlemen in a bathing suit. Plunging into the water he swam the full length of the bath, and his example was followed by several town councillors and policemen.

A family by the name of Moore, living six miles west of Columbus, Ind., has a peculiar and distinguishing family mark running through three generations. At a reunion held recently it was learned that out of twenty-seven persons, who represented the three generations, nineteen had six toes on each foot.

Charles Fisher, the veteran actor, has retired from the stage, and has gone down to his birthplace in Suffolk, England, to end his days. He is 75 years of age. He played in "As You Like It" for the last time in London, his part being that of the aged Adam.

Do not wear a white lawn full dress tie with every day apparel unless you are a professional man, as, for instance, a college professor or clergyman, and do not mind being thought pedantic. If you do you take the chance of being thought "out" of ordinary neckwear.

One reason of Senator Plumb's great popularity in his state is that he answers every letter he receives. His mail is larger than that of any other senator, and he employs three typewriters to attend to it.

The largest catch of codfish received at Gloucester, Mass., this season has just been brought in by the schooner Mystery. It weighs 320,000 pounds.

Exhibition Bathers.

The number of exhibition bathers who hang their clothes on a hickory limb, but don't go near the water, is daily on the increase, and during a walk along the beach at Atlantic City one can readily pick out hundreds of young girls and even mature damsels arrayed in the most attractive and costly bathing robes who don't even wet their dainty feet in the surf, but prefer to grayly trip in groups along the strand or gracefully recline on the warm sands.

They, as a rule, wear collars and cuffs, jaunty little caps, neat slippers, and are invariably light faced. They are as careful of details in donning this beach costume as if they were dressing for a ball, and certainly appear far more captivated by these fair and frolicsome visitors are known as exhibition bathers, but they don't bathe.

A new fad among this particular class is to go carriage riding in their brief attire, and it is a familiar sight on the avenues daily to see a bevy of pretty girls clad in handsome surf costumes urging along a weary beach steed, and evidently enjoying the diversion.—Cor. Philadelphia Times.

Names That Overcame a Hotel Clerk.

Among the many thousands of proper names annually written, more or less legibly—usually less—upon the register of a hotel like the Grand Pacific, pretty much every known combination of letters is found. Hotel clerks become hardened, and greet Mr. Buck and Mr. Cluck and Mr. Dnick with equal affability. But Paul Gores, of the Grand Pacific, ran up against a combination the other day that laid him out.

The two Japanese produce and stock exchange commissioners who are stopping there walked up to the desk and asked if any one had called on them during their brief absence. They had registered before Gores came on duty and he did not know them.

"Let's see; what's the name?" he asked briskly.

"Oh, go way," said one.

"Oh, no," remarked the other.

Gores was dazed until he discovered that the gentlemen's names were Ogowa and Ono.—Chicago Tribune.

Electric Cars in Brooklyn.

One of the features of Brooklyn life among people to whom the expenditure of small sums is a matter of jealous interest is a trip on the new electric car which has been put on a road that runs to Fort Hamilton. There is an odd mixture of heavy browed scientific men and picnic parties on the car during the morning run. The scientific men talk electricity until the air is blue, and the excursionists eat peanuts and wonder what makes the car go. Not infrequently crowds of heavy financiers from New York are to be found swooping up and down on the car, observing its work with beetled brows. One of the engineers, in speaking of it the other day, said that he had been questioned so much about electricity that he had come to the conclusion that very few people knew anything about it.—New York Sun.

A Mastodon's Bone Found.

A big bone was unearthed by workmen in excavating for the east channel span of the new bridge being constructed by the Wheeling Bridge company. The bone was found thoroughly imbedded in blue clay at the bottom of the excavation fifteen feet deep and fully eight feet below the depth of the river. The excavation is but a short distance from the river, and is soil that had probably been undisturbed for ages. The piece of bone, which is apparently not complete by some two or three feet in length, is fully 25 inches in diameter at its greatest bulk, a foot through at the more narrow parts and about 24 feet long.—Wheeling (W. Va.) Register.

Why Burmah Was Taken.

An extraordinary case is now pending at Mandalay. Two foresters seek to bring a pauper suit to revive, for their own benefit and that of other foresters, a judgment of the Hootdaw or council of Burmese ministers, pronounced in 1885, fining the Bombay and Burmah Trading corporation nearly two million and a half of rupees for the benefit of the king. The government of India considered the action of the Hootdaw such a gross violation of justice that it was the immediate cause of the invasion and annexation of upper Burmah.—Cor. London Times.

From the German.

Visitor (to mine host)—You seem to have the blues.

Host—Yes, and I've got good reason for it. You know the old ruin on the hill back of the hotel is haunted, and lots of tourists put up here at this hotel just to see the ghost. Now what does the specter do but strike me for an increase of wages, and I'm already giving more than he could earn anywhere else.—Texas Siftings.

A Freak of Nature.

A young lady walking along a mountain path near Altoona, Pa., observed a wild blackberry bush with a large bunch of cockle burrs growing upon one of its branches. The burrs were healthy and perfect in every particular, as was also the branch of the bush to which they were attached. Here is an opening for some scientific figuring.—St. Louis Republic.

Unkind.

Miss Summit—Did you have a good time at Long Branch?

Dashaway—Exceedingly. Indeed, I had a hard time to get away.

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Righteous Indignation.

First Mosquito—Why did you bite that fellow so wickedly a moment ago?

Second Mosquito—He just sprung that chestnut about blue blood in the mosquito's veins.—Munsey's Weekly.

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Leave Lynn for Boston at 6:10, 6:50, 7 (Express), 7:30 (Express), 7:50, 8 (Express), 8:30 (Express), 9:35, 10:10, 11:10, 11:55 A. M.; 12 M., 12:30, 1:30, 1:45, 2:15, 2:30, 2:45, 3:15, 3:30, 3:45, 4:15, 4:30, 4:45, 5:15, 5:30, 5:45, 6:15, 6:30, 6:45, 7:15, 7:30, 7:45, 8:15, 8:30, 9:45, 9:15, 9:30, 9:45, 10 P. M.

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